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The Spirit Returner

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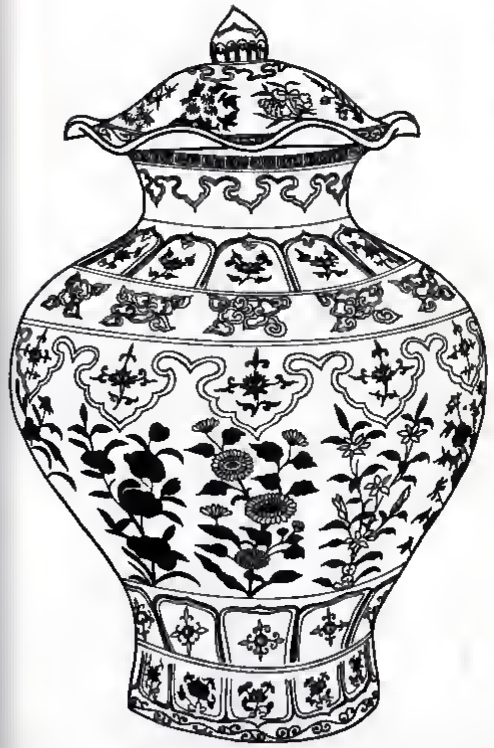

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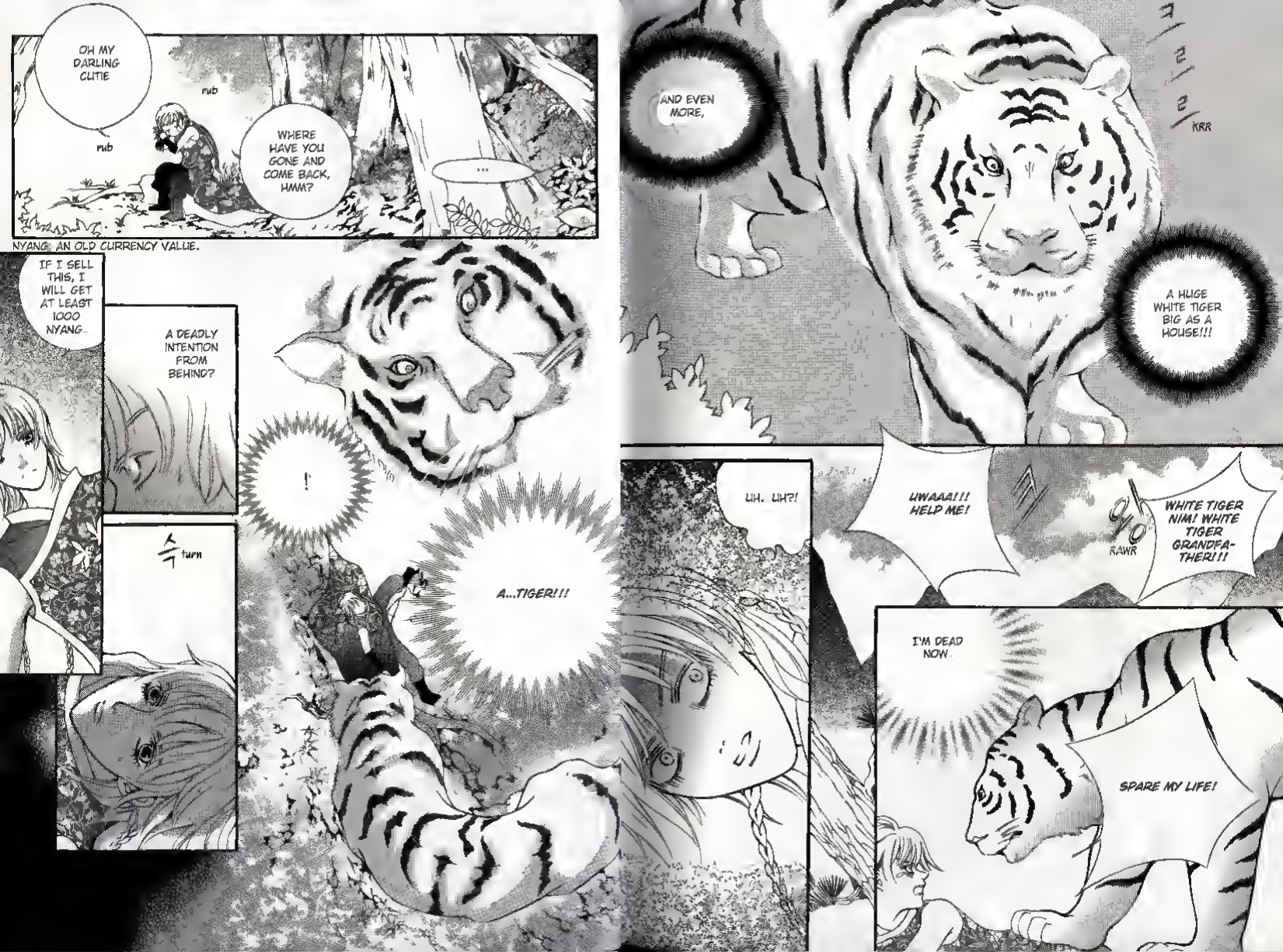
Chapter 1
A promise made in the mountain

NO MATTER WHAT KIND OF DIFFICULTY YOU FACE,
THIS, THIS IS?
A MOUNTAIN GINSENG, IT IS A MOUTAIN GINSENG!
THERE IS ALWAYS AN ESCAPE FOR YOU TO SURVIVE.
I'M SAVED!
FINALLY!
I CAN EAT FOOD!

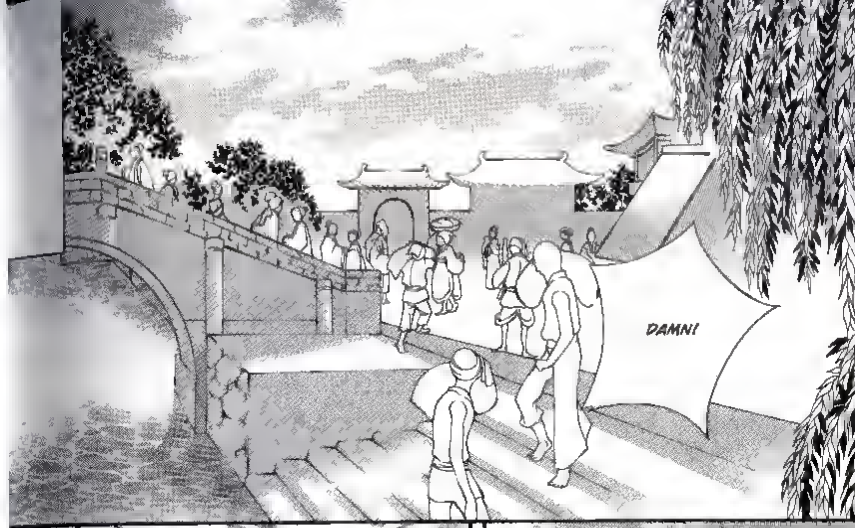

OH MY DARLING CUTIE
rub
rub
WHERE HAVE YOU GONE AND COME BACK, HMM?
...
NYANG: AN OLD CURRENCY VALUE.
IF I SELL THIS, I WILL GET AT LEAST 1000 NYANG
A DEADLY INTENTION FROM BEHIND?
!
turn
A...TIGER!!!
AND EVEN MORE,
KRR
A HUGE WHITE TIGER BIG AS A HOUSE!!!
UH. UH?!
UWAAA!!! HELP ME!
RAWR
WHITE TIGER NIM! WHITE TIGER GRANDFA-THER!!!
I'M DEAD NOW.
SPARE MY LIFE!

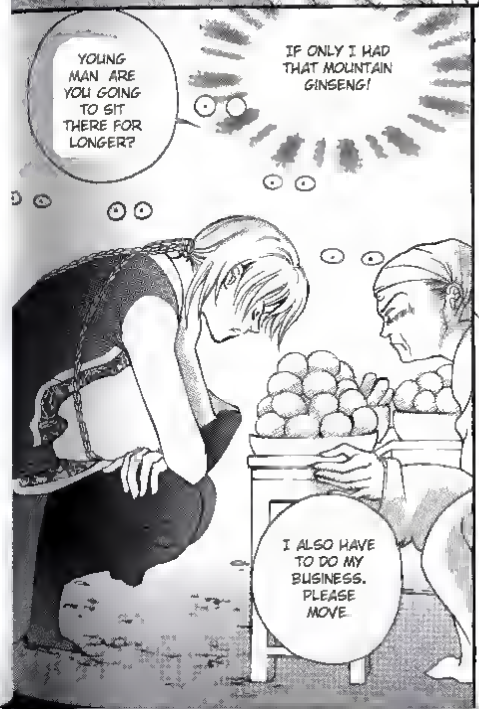
A MOUNTAIN GINSENG!
EAT THE MOUNTAIN GINSENG INSTEAD OF ME! I WILL GIVE YOU THE MOUNTAIN GINSENG!
Pause
A MOUNTAIN GINSENG...
steps back
?!
UH? IT WORKED?!
move
IT'S NOT TIME TO HESITATE!
I MUST RUN WHILE THE TIGER IS LOOKING AWAY!
Glimpse
THEN

THE TIGER ISN'T HERE!
Turn
Turn
HUH? WHERE DID IT GO?!
HUH?
Rustle
THAT IS...
THAT IS!

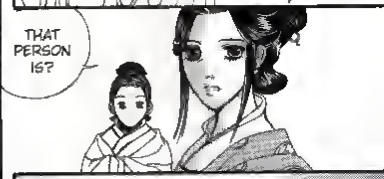
THAT IS MY MOUNTAIN GINSENG!
chomp
chomp
으
아
아
악!
ARGH!!!
BURP
Still dead
Rum
Ruh
OH, MY!
Are you dead?
You dead?
AHH... PEOPLE
CAN REALLY
DIE FROM DUMB-FOUNDEDNESS!
Collapse

WHERE WERE YOU PLAYING AT?
YOU SMELL VERY NICE.

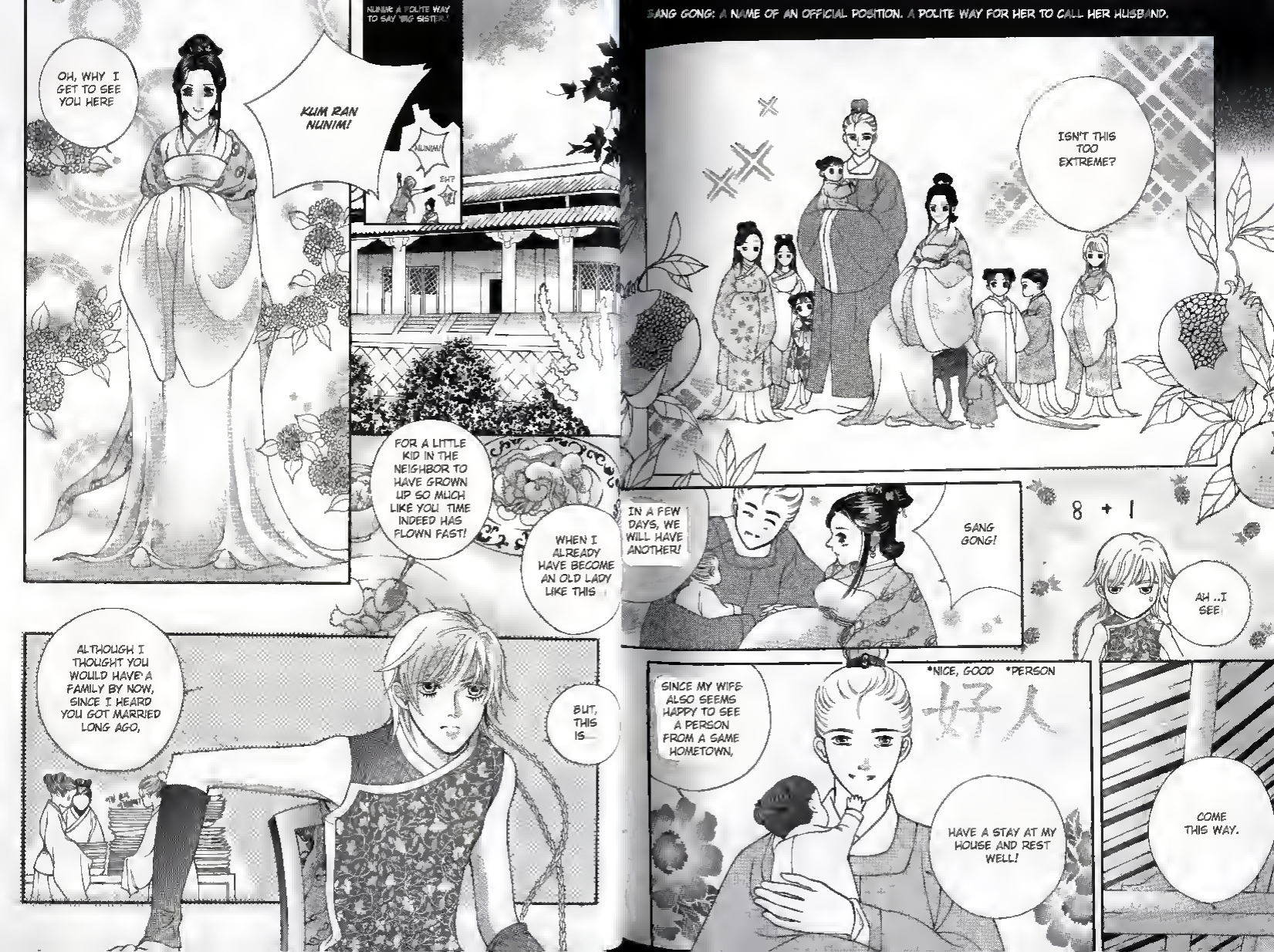

DAMN!


YOUNG MAN ARE YOU GOING TO SIT THERE FOR LONGER?
IF ONLY I HAD THAT MOUNTAIN GINSENG!
I ALSO HAVE TO DO MY BUSINESS. PLEASE MOVE.

AH! YOU'RE DROOLING NOW!
LEAVE NOW!!


THAT PERSON IS?

MOOHWE? AREN'T YOU MOOHWE?


NUNIM: A POLITE WAY TO SAY "BIG SISTER."
OH, WHY I GET TO SEE YOU HERE
KUM RAN NUNIM!
NUNIM!
EH?
FOR A LITTLE KID IN THE NEIGHBOR TO HAVE GROWN UP SO MUCH LIKE YOU! TIME INDEED HAS FLOWN FAST!
WHEN I ALREADY HAVE BECOME AN OLD LADY LIKE THIS!
ALTHOUGH I THOUGHT YOU WOULD HAVE A FAMILY BY NOW, SINCE I HEARD YOU GOT MARRIED LONG AGO,
BUT, THIS IS—
SANG GONG: A NAME OF AN OFFICIAL POSITION. A POLITE WAY FOR HER TO CALL HER HUSBAND.
ISN'T THIS TOO EXTREME?
IN A FEW DAYS, WE WILL HAVE ANOTHER!
SANG GONG!
8 + 1
AH ..I SEE!
SINCE MY WIFE ALSO SEEMS HAPPY TO SEE A PERSON FROM A SAME HOMETOWN,
*NICE, GOOD *PERSON
好人
HAVE A STAY AT MY HOUSE AND REST WELL!
COME THIS WAY.

WHAT ARE THOSE?
YOU MEAN THOSE TALISMANS?
SO THEY WERE BROUGHT IN BY THE MASTER...
FOR COMING CHILD DELIVERY, THE LADY HAS BECOME VERY SENSITIVE,
...
AFTER DELIVERYING ONLY USELESS GIRLS!
IF SHE DOESN'T SUCCEED IN DELIVERING A SON FOR ONCE...
NOW
EVEN A STRANGE MAN IS ENTERING THE HOUSE

SHE WOULD HAVE NOTHING TO SAY EVEN IF WE KICK HER OUT!
Shall we ask him, too?
THE NEXT IS ME!
AJUHSSI, ME, TOO!
ME!
ME, TOO!
SAVE ME!
Kyaa
THE NEXT DAY.
MY TURN! MY TURN!
What about us?
WHAT IS THIS COMMOTION ABOUT?
MY SAVIOR!!
SOON THE LADY WILL DELIVER YOUR NEW SIBLING!
I HAVE TOLD YOU TO BE QUIET MANY TIMES!
NOW, GO IN!
BLAH!

THE MOUNTAIN GINSENG THIEF!
YOU.. YOU ARE?
STOP THERE!!!
WHAT IS THIS?
IT'S NOISY OUTSIDE, WHAT'S GOING ON?
YES, LITTLE MASTER!
WELL, WELL, WELL. THERE ISN'T TO BE ANY GUEST TODAY.
SCREECH
WHO IN THE WORLD?
YOU THINK I'M GOING TO GIVE UP JUST BECAUSE YOU RUN?!
I'M GOING TO FOLLOW YOU TO HELL!
GRAMPS!
HAHAHA! YOU CAN'T RUN ANY FURTHER NOW!
EH?
GIVE MY MOUNTAIN GINSENG BACK!

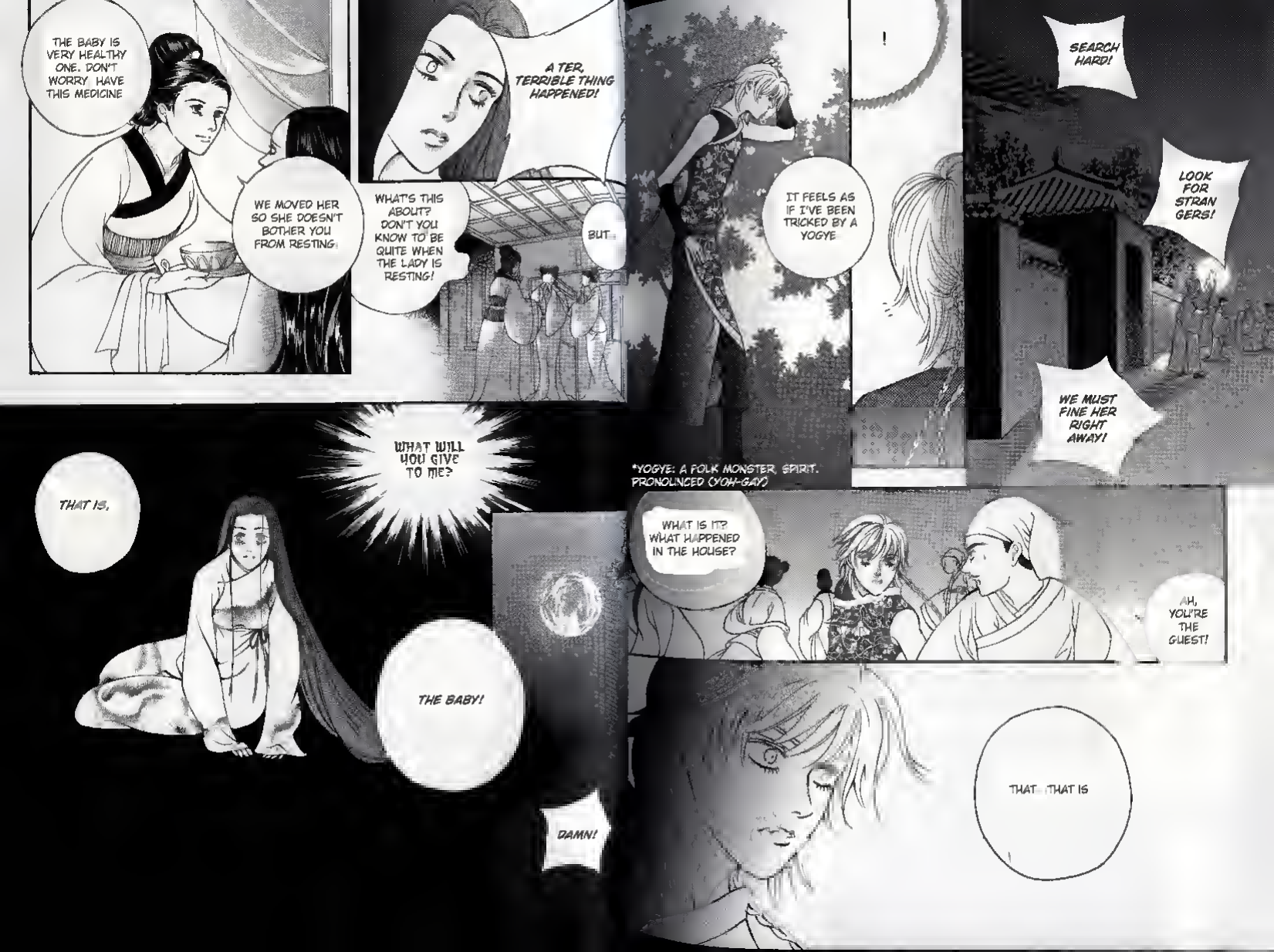
tremble tremble
IF YOU DON'T GIVE ME MY GINSENG BACK,
I WILL BURY YOU ALIVE!
swish
UH?
IT DISAP-PEARED?
HOW IMPERTI-NENT.
WHAT IS THIS?
MAKING A RUCKUS AFTER ENTERING SOMEONE ELSE'S HOUSE WITHOUT PERMISSION.

GIVE ME A PROPER REASON!
WHAT IS YOUR REASON OF CLIMBING OVER A WALL INTO MY HOUSE?
A BOY?!
SO EUNSUH HAD GULPED DOWN YOUR MOUNTAIN GINSENG?
YES!

THAT IS VERY STRANGE! MY LITTLE MASTER!
WHAT IS!
ELINSLIH IS NOT...
A CHILD WHO TOUCHES OTHER'S BE-LONGINGS WITHOUT PER-MISSIONS
Flap
Flap
WHO GAVE A PERMISSION!
FOR MY MOUNTAIN GINSENG LIKE MY FLESH!
THAT NON-SENSICAL!
SLAM

WHAT IS THAT?
WHERE DID THAT RAT THING GO?!!
IT... IT CAN'T BE!
THAT LITTLE THING IS...
THAT DAMN WHITE TIGER?
THIS IS A CHEAT!
I told it to eat, thinking it was a tiger!
MY LADY?

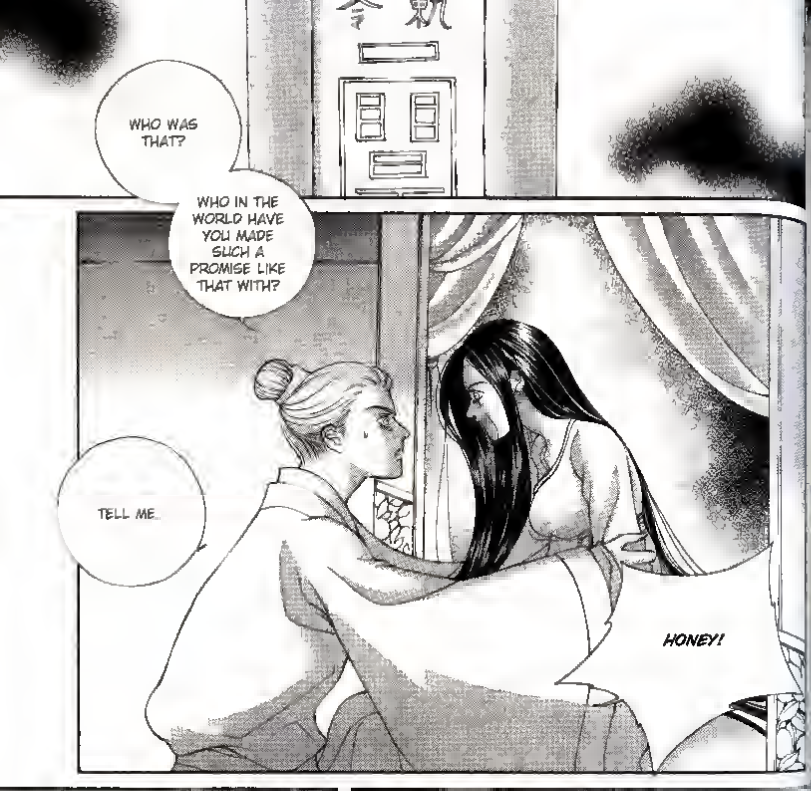
ARGH!
HELLO! IS THERE ANYONE!
CALL THE MIDWIFE, NOW!
...MATRON...
NO!
IF I DELIVER THIS CHILD!
IF I SAVE THIS PERSON NOW,
WHAT WILL YOU GIVE TO ME?
CRY
WE CAN SEE IT'S HEAD!
JUST PRESS IT ONCE MORE!
PRESS IT HARD, MY LADY!
WHAT WILL YOU GIVE TO ME?
NANNY...
WHERE IS THE BABY?
YOU SHOULDN'T GET UP YET, MY LADY.
LET ME SEE THE CHILD I WANT TO SEE WITH MY OWN EYES IF SHE IS SAFE
MY CHILD


THE BABY IS VERY HEALTHY ONE. DON'T WORRY. HAVE THIS MEDICINE
WE MOVED HER SO SHE DOESN'T BOTHER YOU FROM RESTING.
A TER, TERRIBLE THING HAPPENED!
WHAT'S THIS ABOUT? DON'T YOU KNOW TO BE QUITE WHEN THE LADY IS RESTING!
BUT...
!
IT FEELS AS IF I'VE BEEN TRICKED BY A YOGYE
SEARCH HARD!
LOOK FOR STRAN GERS!
WE MUST FINE HER RIGHT AWAY!
*YOGYE: A FOLK MONSTER, SPIRIT. PRONOLINCED (YOH-GAY)
WHAT IS IT? WHAT HAPPENED IN THE HOUSE?
AH, YOU'RE THE GUEST!
THAT... THAT IS
WHAT WILL YOU GIVE TO ME?
THAT IS,
THE BABY!
DAMN!

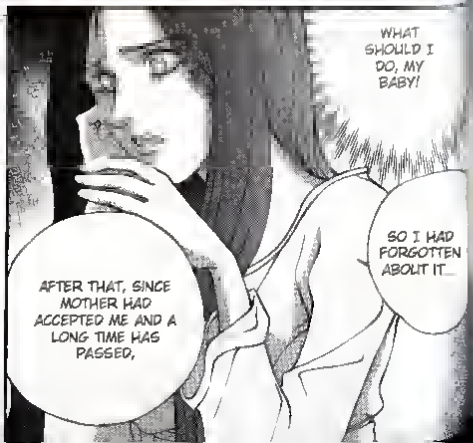
THE BABY HAS DISAPPEARED!

I WILL GIVE YOU ANYTHING.
I CAN'T LET HIM GO LIKE THIS!
PLEASE SAVE THIS PERSON!
MY LADY, IT WOULD BE BETTER TO FORGIVE THEM NOW..
ARE YOU SAYING I SHOULD ACCEPT THAT GIRL OF IMPROPER ORIGIN?!
BUT, NOW ALMOST EVERYONE IN THE VILLAGE KNOWS ABOUT THE TWO.
BESIDES, HOW COULD THE YOUNG MASTER, WHO HAD NEVER GONE THROUGH ANY HARDSHIP,
SURVIVE IN THAT ROUGH MOUNTAINS?

WHAT IF HE GETS INTO AN ACCIDENT, WHAT WOULD YOU DO?
!
THE FAVOR OF SAVING A LIFE ONLY CAN BE REPAID WITH A LIFE.
IF I SAVE YOUR HUSBAND'S LIFE NOW,
YOU WOULD BEGET MANY CHILDREN.
ONE OF THEM.
GIVE ME YOUR NINTH CHILD.
IF YOU WILL DO THAT,
A CHILD?
I WILL SAVE THAT PERSON!


WHO WAS THAT?
WHO IN THE WORLD HAVE YOU MADE SUCH A PROMISE LIKE THAT WITH?
TELL ME..
HONEY!

I DON'T REMEMBER...
I COULDN'T SEE ITS LOOKS OR FIGURES.


WHAT SHOULD I DO, MY BABY!
SO I HAD FORGOTTEN ABOUT IT...
AFTER THAT, SINCE MOTHER HAD ACCEPTED ME AND A LONG TIME HAS PASSED,

WHAT SHALL I DO?
BUT IT REALLY HAS TAKEN AWAY MY BABY...
MY LOVE..

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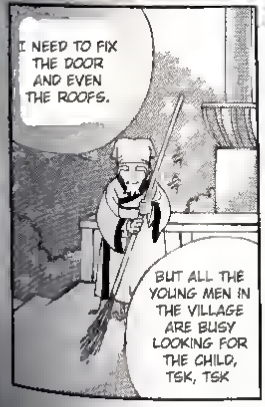
THERE ARE MANY PLACES TO MEND SINCE IT IS AN OLD HOUSE


I NEED TO FIX THE DOOR AND EVEN THE ROOFS.
BUT ALL THE YOUNG MEN IN THE VILLAGE ARE BUSY LOOKING FOR THE CHILD, TSK, TSK

BUT THEN...

WHERE HAS MY LITTLE MASTER GONE?

THEN THE ONE WHO TOOK THE CHILD IS A YOGYE?
THAT NONSENSE!
IT'S TRUE! I HAVE HEARD IT FROM A FRIEND WHO WORKS THERE!
SO THAT IS WHY NOBODY COULD FINE IT EVEN WITH THAT BIG NUMBER OF MEN!
THEN, NOW...
ISN'T IT IMPOSSIBLE TO FIND THE CHILD?
A YOGYE?
I ALREADY KNEW THAT GIRL WAS OF ILL LUCK!
LIKE SEDUCING MY SON WASN'T ENOUGH? THAT YOU HAD GIVEN YOUR OWN CHILD TO A YOGYE?
EVEN IF IT WAS A GIRL, IT WAS A BABY WHO HAD MY FAMILY'S BLOOD!
WHAT ARE YOU ALL DOING? THROW HER OUTSIDE OF THIS HOUSE!
THAT WAS TO SAVE ME...!
NO, MOTHER. YOU CAN'T DO THIS!
PLEASE THINK AGAIN!
QUIET! YOU WEKLING!

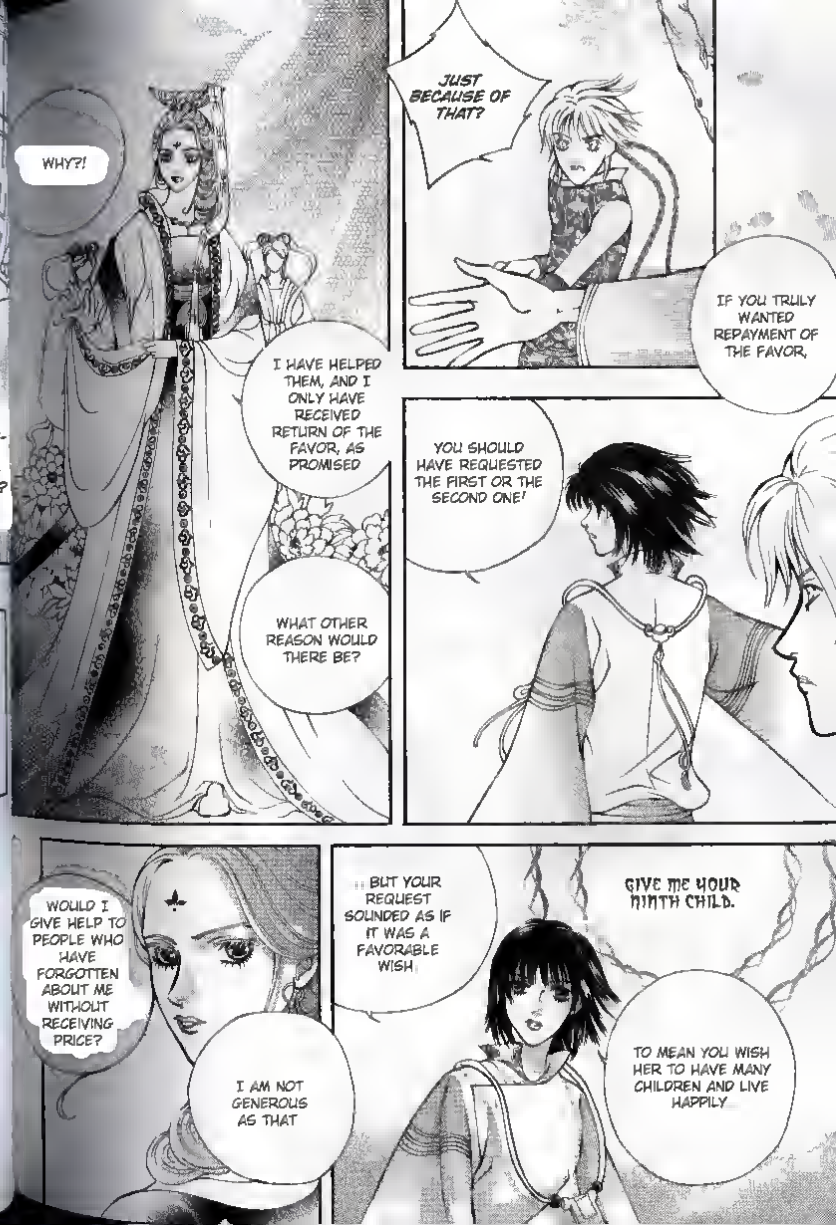
FINE, IF YOUR WILL IS THAT STRONG I WON'T THROW HER OUT!
Whew
MOTHER!
INSTEAD! ACCEPT A WOMAN I HAVE CHOSEN AS YOUR SECOND WIFE!
MOTHER!
THE EYES OF A MOTHER WHO HAS LOST HER CHILD?
UMM, WOULD THIS BE ENOUGH...
THIS IS THE COVER SHEET OF BLANKET THE LADY USED.
MY LADY HERSELF EMBROIDERED THIS.
FINE, THIS IS ENOUGH!
HOW OLD ARE YOU NOW?
YOU MUST HAVE AT LEAST ONE SON, MUST NOT YOU?
UM...WHAT WOULD YOU DO WITH THAT...
DON'T WORRY.
I WILL RETURN THE CHILD BY ALL MEANS!
Stop there!
Arg!
OH, MY GOODNESS!
SHE HAS LOST HERSELF COMPLETELY!
DEAD BLACK EYES.
ARE THEY

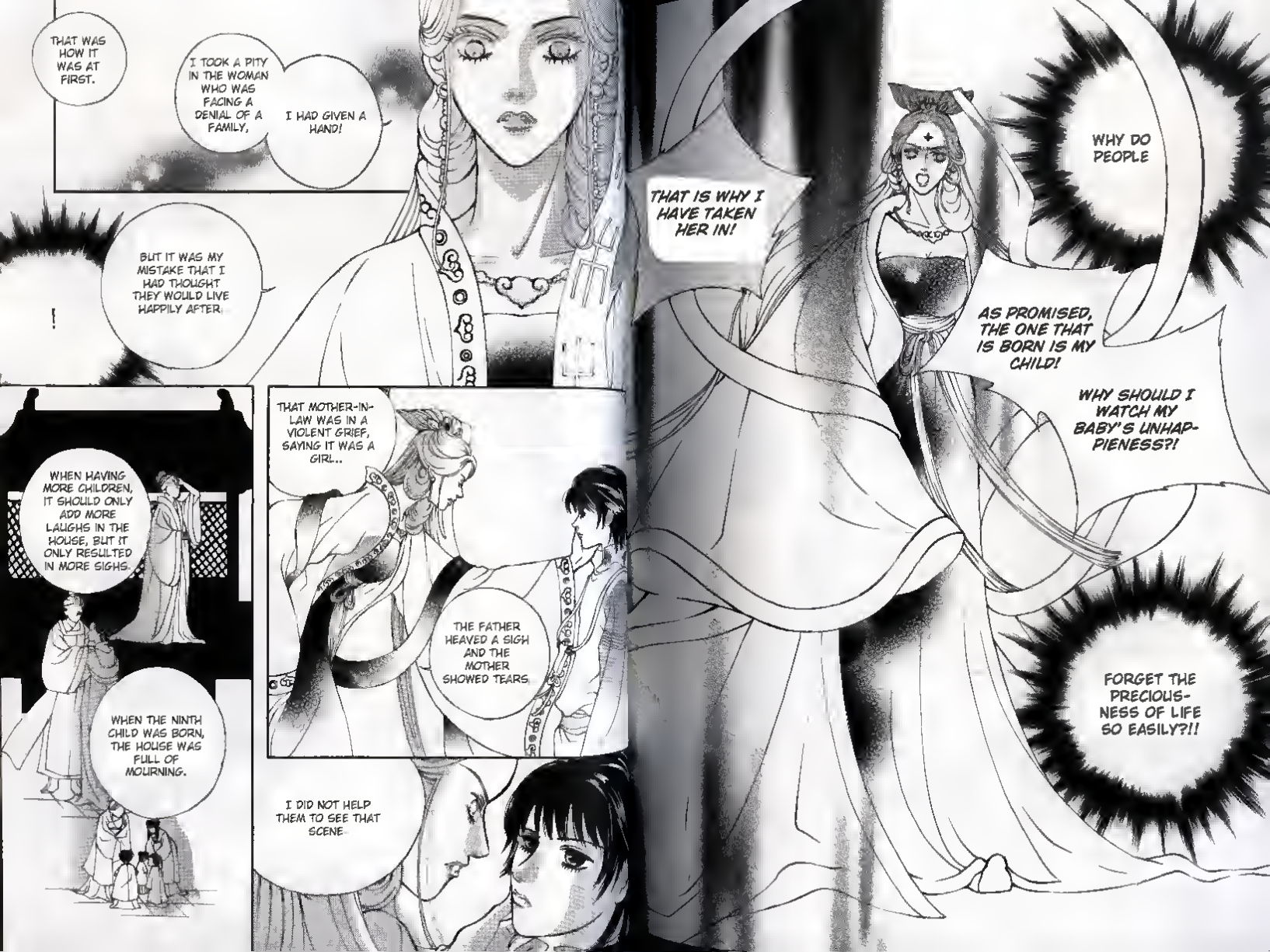
EUNSUH...
THE WHOLE MOUNTAIN IS NOISY AGAIN WHAT IS GOING ON?
!
WHERE IS THIS DOG RUNNING TO?
WHERE ARE YOU GOING? WHEN I'VE TOLD YOU TO LOOK FOR A CHILD?!
!
Tick
AHHHHH!
ROLL
IS IT YOU AGAIN?
DAMN!
I HAD A GOOD METHOD!
ONLY IF THAT DAMN DOG FOLLOWED IT CORRECTLY!

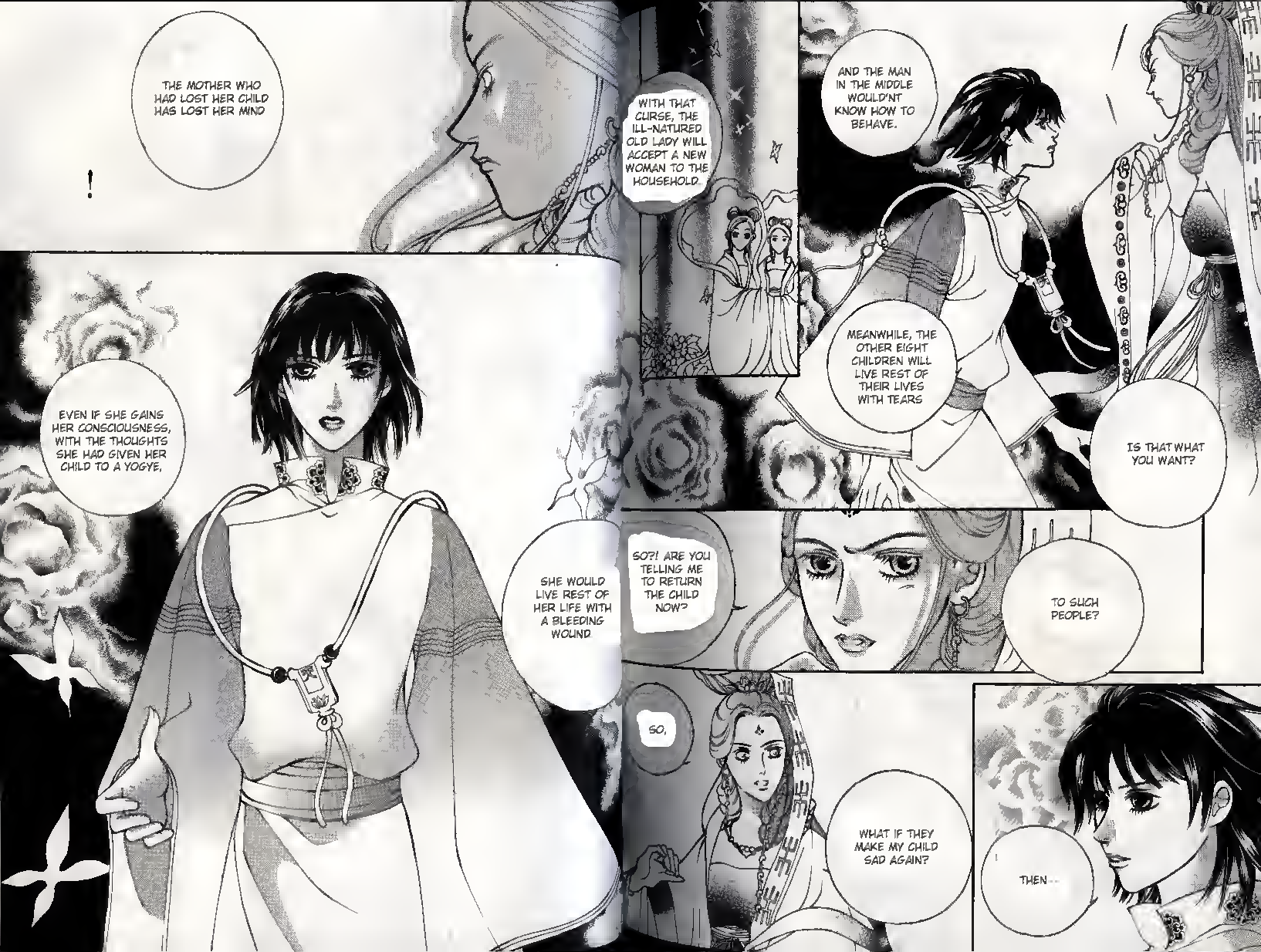
IS THIS! THE CHILD'S BELONGING?
When did that Pelip
IT'S SAID...
NUNIM HAS EMBROIDERED IT HERSELF
THIS EMBROIDERY IS SAMDAGUYUH (三多九如)
THE PEACH WHICH MEANS FORTUNES OF ALL, A BAT AND A POMEGRANATE AND NINE OF THEM.
MAY ALL THE FORTUNES OF THE WORLD BE WITH YOU..
IS IT A WISH OF THE MOTHER WISHING FOR ALL THE FORTUNE OF THE WORLD?
EUNSUH, YOU WILL BE ABLE TO FIND IT?
UH? HEY!!
RUSTLE
HEY! WE SHOULD GO TOGETHER!
WAIT!
IT IS A VERY OLD BUILDING
IT SEEMS IT HAS BEEN A LONG TIME SINCE ANYBODY CAME HERE?

NO ONE IS HERE...
AREN'T WE IN A WRONG PLACE?
THIS IS AS IF!
WHERE ARE WE?
WHT THE HECK IS THIS?
A PLACE LIKE THIS IN A PICTURE?
ISN'T THIS A PLACE LIKE THAT TRANSCENDENTAL, ENCHANTED WORLD WHERE THE GODS LIVE?
OH?
A GUEST IN A LONG TIME
AH?
RUN
RIGHT HERE
A PICTURE?!

WHO... WHO?
I USED TO BE CALLED THE MOUNTAIN GODDESS BEFORE,
BUT, NOW PEOPLE HAVE ALL FORGOTTEN ABOUT IT, SO JUST CALL ME MAGO (麻姑)!
A MOUNTAIN GODDESS?
AND,
A MOUNTAIN GODDESS? SHE SAID?
FOR WHAT BUSINESS HAVE YOU HUMANS COME HERE?
MAY I ASK YOU WHY YOU HAVE TAKEN THE CHILD?

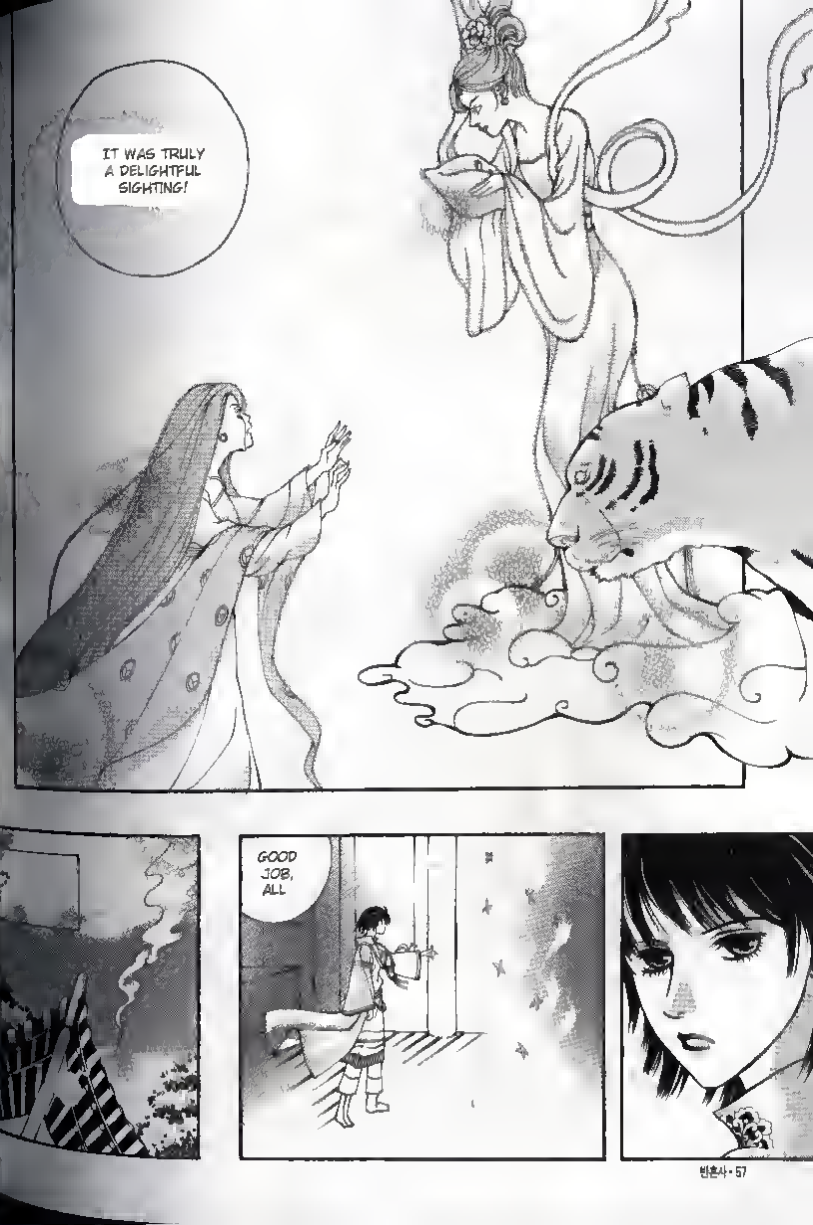

WHY?!
I HAVE HELPED THEM, AND I ONLY HAVE RECEIVED RETURN OF THE FAVOR, AS PROMISED
WHAT OTHER REASON WOULD THERE BE?
JUST BECAUSE OF THAT?
IF YOU TRULY WANTED REPAYMENT OF THE FAVOR,
YOU SHOULD HAVE REQUESTED THE FIRST OR THE SECOND ONE!
WOULD I GIVE HELP TO PEOPLE WHO HAVE FORGOTTEN ABOUT ME WITHOUT RECEIVING PRICE?
I AM NOT GENEROUS AS THAT
BUT YOUR REQUEST SOUNDED AS IF IT WAS A FAVORABLE WISH.
GIVE ME YOUR NINTH CHILD.
TO MEAN YOU WISH HER TO HAVE MANY CHILDREN AND LIVE HAPPILY

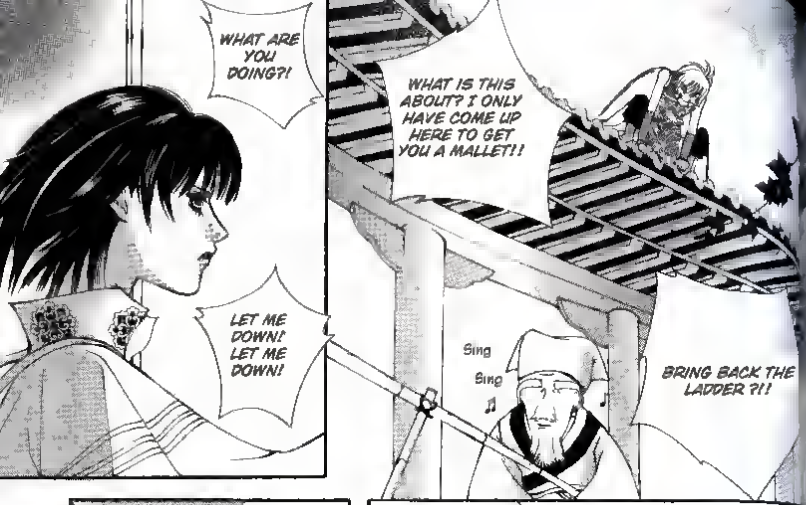

THAT WAS HOW IT WAS AT FIRST.
I TOOK A PITY IN THE WOMAN WHO WAS FACING A DENIAL OF A FAMILY,
I HAD GIVEN A HAND!
BUT IT WAS MY MISTAKE THAT I HAD THOUGHT THEY WOULD LIVE HAPPILY AFTER.
!
THAT IS WHY I HAVE TAKEN HER IN!
WHY DO PEOPLE
AS PROMISED, THE ONE THAT IS BORN IS MY CHILD!
WHY SHOULD I WATCH MY BABY'S UNHAPPIENESS?!
FORGET THE PRECIOUSNESS OF LIFE SO EASILY?!!
WHEN HAVING MORE CHILDREN, IT SHOULD ONLY ADD MORE LAUGHS IN THE HOUSE, BUT IT ONLY RESULTED IN MORE SIGHS.
WHEN THE NINTH CHILD WAS BORN, THE HOUSE WAS FULL OF MOURNING.
THAT MOTHER-IN-LAW WAS IN A VIOLENT GRIEF, SAYING IT WAS A GIRL...
THE FATHER HEAVED A SIGH AND THE MOTHER SHOWED TEARS.
I DID NOT HELP THEM TO SEE THAT SCENE.

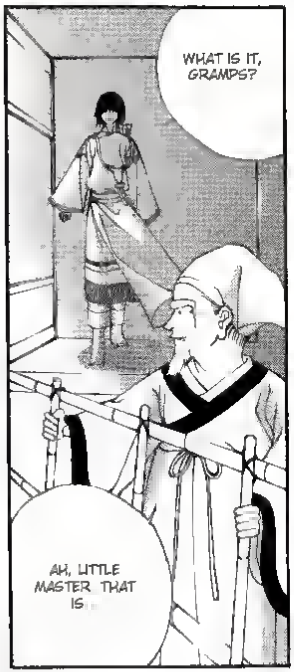

THE MOTHER WHO HAD LOST HER CHILD HAS LOST HER MIND
!
WITH THAT CURSE, THE ILL-NATURED OLD LADY WILL ACCEPT A NEW WOMAN TO THE HOUSEHOLD.
AND THE MAN IN THE MIDDLE WOULD'NT KNOW HOW TO BEHAVE.
MEANWHILE, THE OTHER EIGHT CHILDREN WILL LIVE REST OF THEIR LIVES WITH TEARS
IS THAT WHAT YOU WANT?
EVEN IF SHE GAINS HER CONSCIOUSNESS, WITH THE THOUGHTS SHE HAD GIVEN HER CHILD TO A YOGYE,
SHE WOULD LIVE REST OF HER LIFE WITH A BLEEDING WOUND
SO?! ARE YOU TELLING ME TO RETURN THE CHILD NOW?
TO SUCH PEOPLE?
SO,
WHAT IF THEY MAKE MY CHILD SAD AGAIN?
THEN---

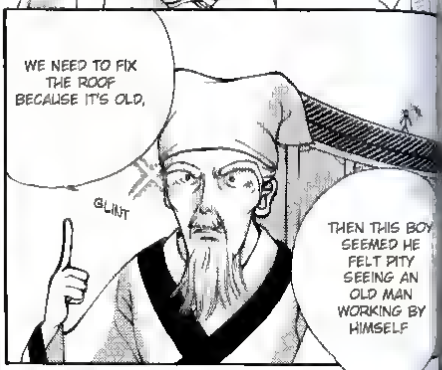
THE PROMISE OF THE MOUNTAIN GODDESS IS DREADFUL AS THE MOUNTAIN
SHOW YOUR ANGER LIKE THUNDER, AND TAKE THE CHILD
HOHOHO
YOU ARE A MAN WITH WITTY WORDS..
WHAT IS YOUR NAME?
IT IS HWA RYUN GANG
A HUMAN WITH A NAME OF THE RIVER THAT SURROUNDS THE NETHERWORLD...
FINE, HWA GONGJA.
I WILL ACCEPT THE REQUEST, THINKING OF YOU
GONGJ : A YOUNG NOBLEMAN A POLITE WAY TO CALL A YOUNG MAN AT THIS TIME.
TAKE THE CHILD!
!
WHAT IS IT?
DO YOU STILL HAVE A BUSINESS?
FOR A MOMENT,
MAY I BORROW A NAME OF THE MOUNTAIN GODDESS?
MY NAME?
IT WON'T RESULT IN A LOSS OF YOUR DIGNITY.
FINE..
I GRANT A SPECIAL PERMISSION.

I WILL HAVE A FUN THING TO SEE IN A LONG TIME!
ARGH! HAVE YOU HEARD THIS?!!
IT WAS THE MOUNTAIN GODDESS WHO TOOK THE CHILD, NOT THE YOGYE!
AND TO ADOPT AS A DAUG-TER!
AH, THE ATTEN-DANTS OF THE MOUNTAIN GODDESS HAVE COME TO RETURN THE BABY!
THANKS TO THAT, THAT HOUSE IMMEDI-ATELY REJOICED, TURNING FROM A MOURNING STATE.
SINCE THEN, THE LADY OF THE HOUSE STOPPED MENTIONING TAKING IN A MISTRESS FOR HER SON.
THAT LADY IS SAID TO BE IN A DREADFUL FEAR THINKING SHE MIGHT HAVE ANGERED THE MOUNTAIN GODDESS.
BUT THE MOUNTAIN GODDESS ..HOW DO YOU BELIEVE IT?
AH, I JUST WITNESSED WITH MY OWN EYES! THE MESSENGERS OF THE MOUNTAIN GODDESS JUST HAVE LEFT!

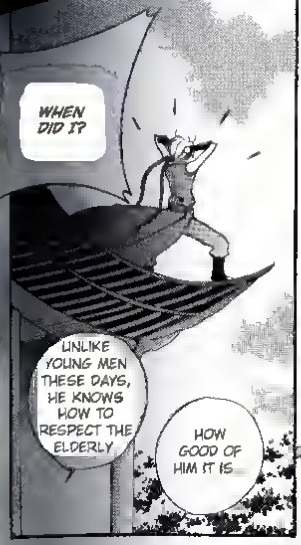

IT WAS TRULY A DELIGHTFUL SIGHTING!
GOOD JOB, ALL


WHAT ARE YOU DOING?!
LET ME DOWN! LET ME DOWN!
WHAT IS THIS ABOUT? I ONLY HAVE COME UP HERE TO GET YOU A MALLET!!
Sing
Sing
BRING BACK THE LADDER ?!!


WHAT IS IT, GRAMPS?
AH, LITTLE MASTER THAT IS.

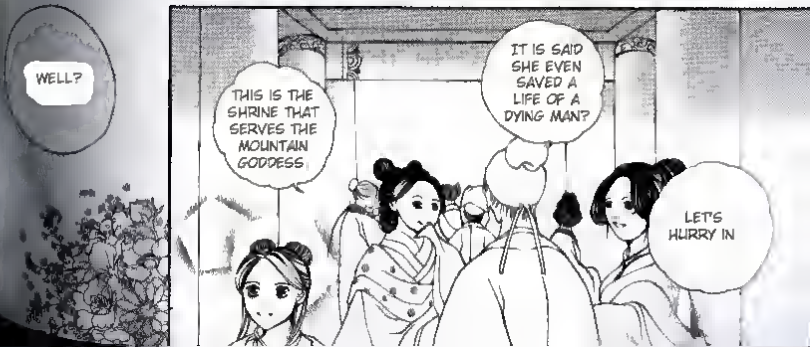

WE NEED TO FIX THE ROOF BECAUSE IT'S OLD.
GLUNT
THEN THIS BOY SEEMED HE FELT PITY SEEING AN OLD MAN WORKING BY HIMSELF

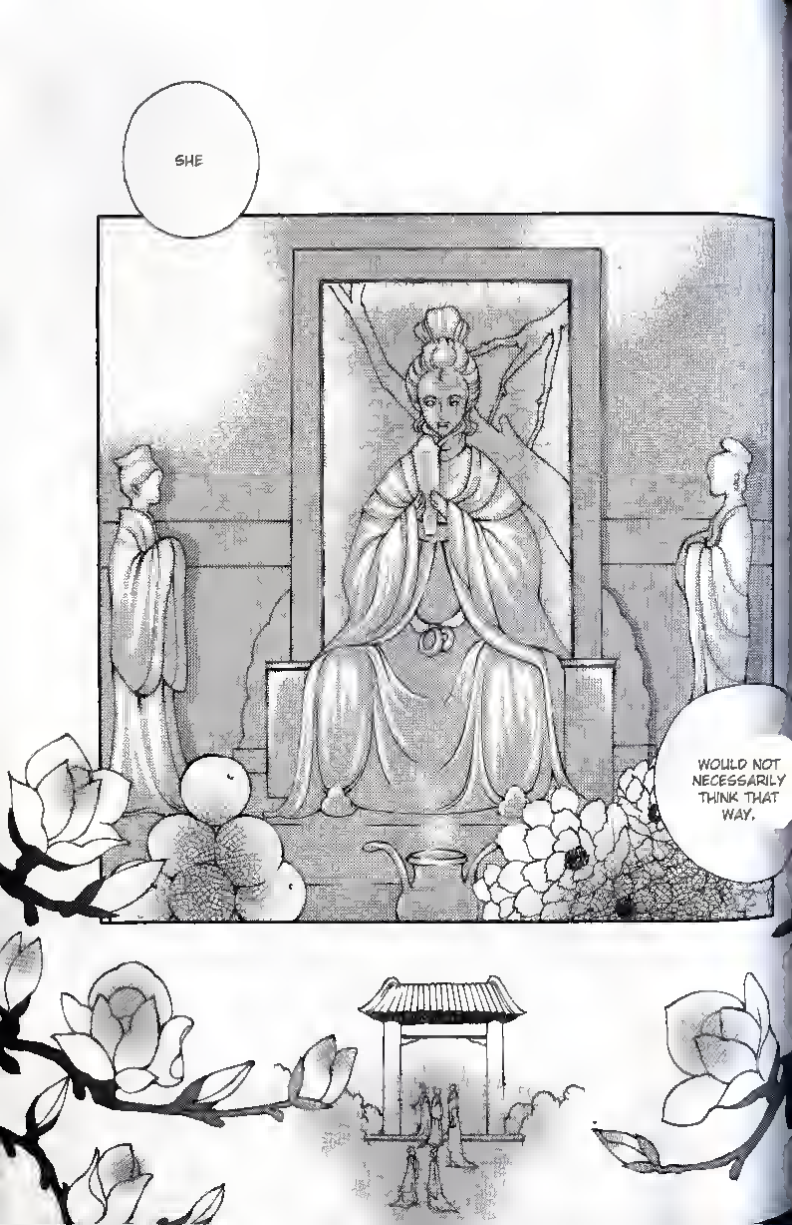
HE CAME UP TO ME AND SAID HE WILL HELP HIMSELF!
that old man!

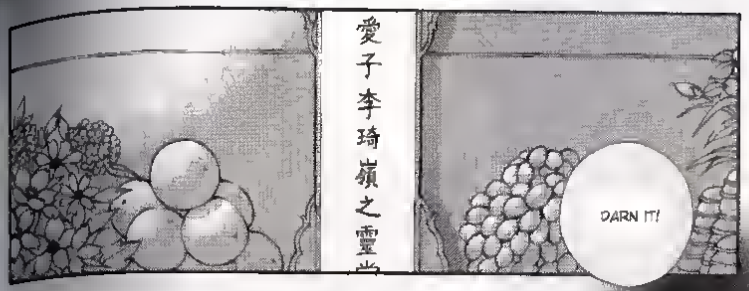

WHEN DID IT?
UNLIKE YOUNG MEN THESE DAYS, HE KNOWS HOW TO RESPECT THE ELDERLY
HOW GOOD OF HIM IT IS

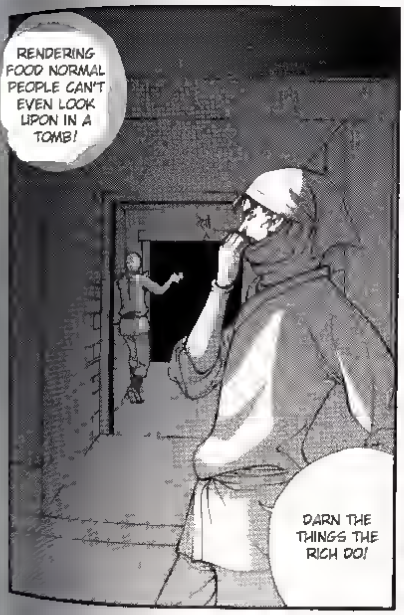
BY THE WAY, LITTLE MASTER?!
THOUGH THE MOTHER HAS FOUND HER CHILD AND THE HOUSE RESTORED ITS PEACE,

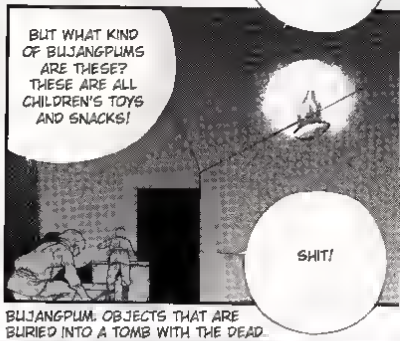
HASN'T THE MOUNTAIN GODDESS ONLY ENDED UP WITH A LOSS?


WELL?
THIS IS THE SHRINE THAT SERVES THE MOUNTAIN GODDESS.
IT IS SAID SHE EVEN SAVED A LIFE OF A DYING MAN?
LET'S HURRY IN

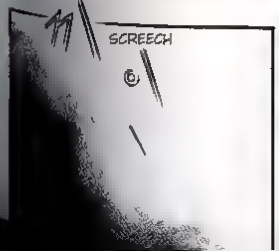

SHE
WOULD NOT NECESSARILY THINK THAT WAY.

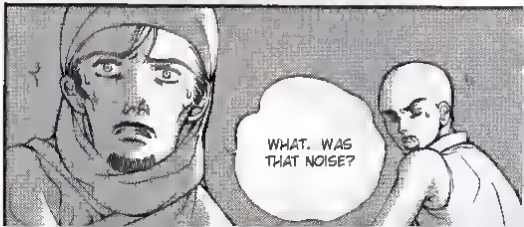


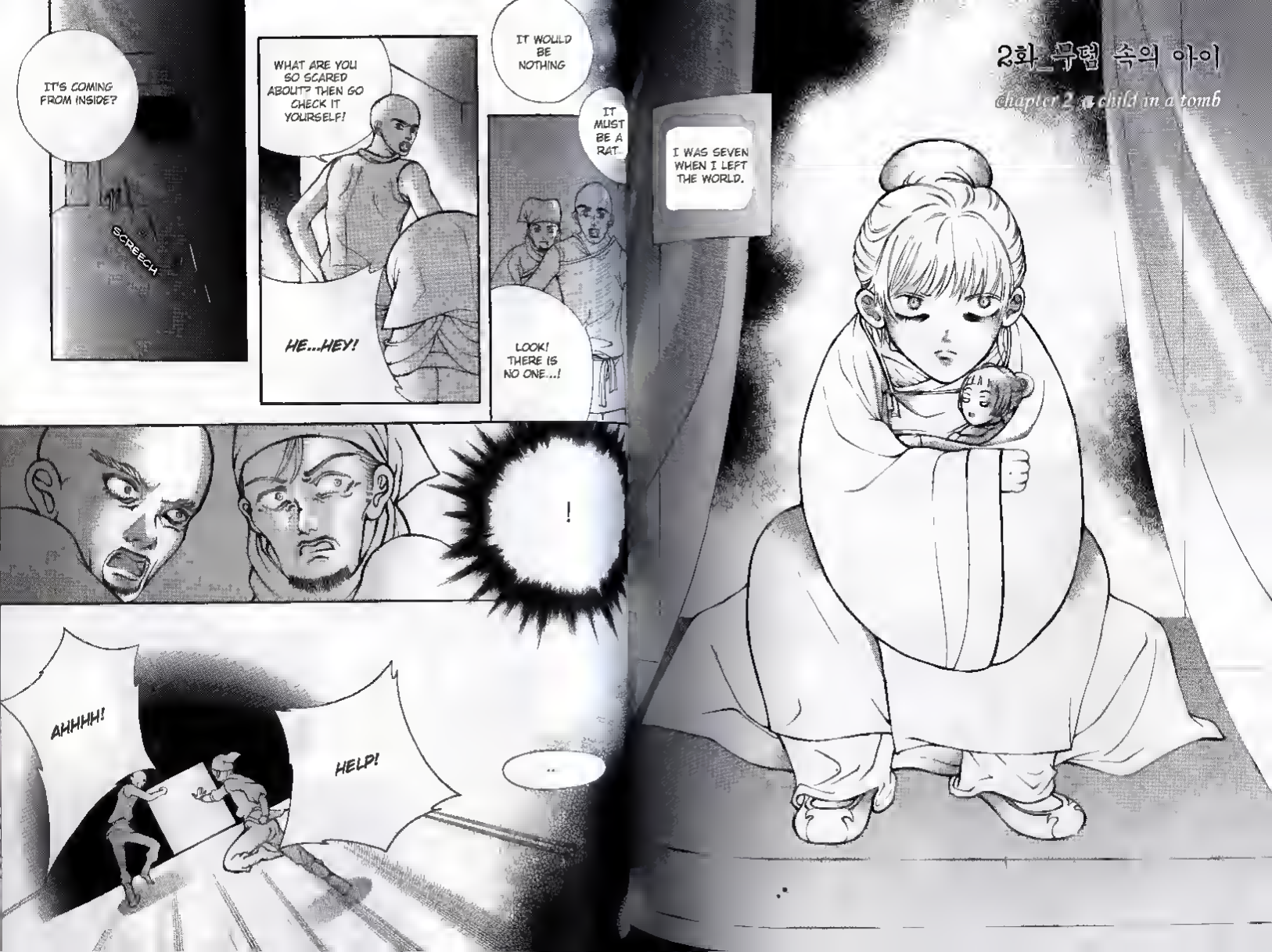




BUJANGPUM: OBJECTS THAT ARE BURIED INTO A TOMB WITH THE DEAD.






IT'S COMING FROM INSIDE?
SCREECH
WHAT ARE YOU SO SCARED ABOUT? THEN GO CHECK IT YOURSELF!
HE...HEY!
IT WOULD BE NOTHING
IT MUST BE A RAT...
LOOK! THERE IS NO ONE...!
!
AHHHH!
HELP!
..
I WAS SEVEN WHEN I LEFT THE WORLD.
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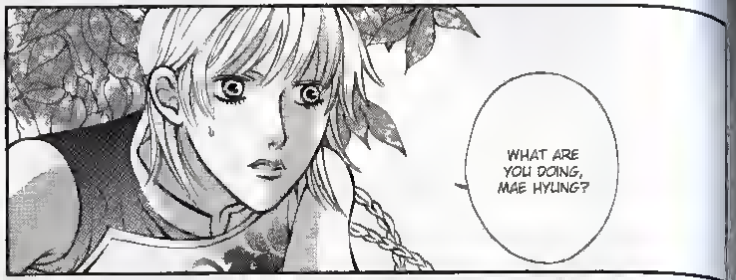
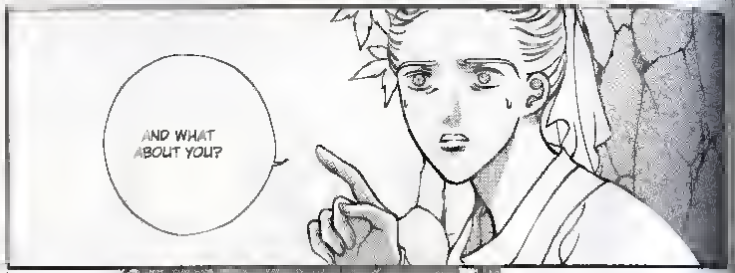
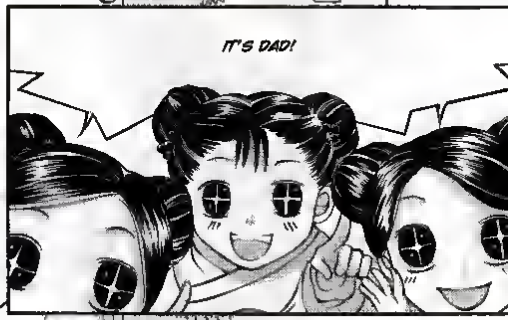
chapter 2 a child in a tomb

MAE HYUNG A BROTHER-IN-LAW IT CAN BE USED IN FRIENDLY RELATIONSHIPS EVEN IF THEY ARE NOT TRULY RELATED







TO SEE YOU IN A PLACE LIKE THIS!
HOW DELIGHTED I AM!!
AH! THE OLD MAN!
IT IS REALLY GOOD, VERY GOOD.
Firm grip
EH? WHAT IS?
PLEASE CARRY THOSE BAGGAGES!
That many?
WHY ME?
OH, YOU WOULDN'T HEP ME?
OH... WHAT WAS?
For carrying all these heavy stuff? or letting you live?
I HAVE BURDENED YOU BECAUSE MY BACK IS NO GOOD.
Sigh
I'M REALLY SORRY
I'M SORRY!
AH, YOU DON'T NEED TO APOLOGIZE LIKE THAT!
HAVE A TEA AND GO. I WILL PREPARE IT NOW.
Was I being too extreme?
FEED THE FISH EVEN IF YOU HAVE CAUGHT IT!
What shall I make him do next?
Sneer
WHAT A USELESS MAN THAT IS!
REFUSING AN OLD MAN'S REQUEST!
WHAT IF THAT OLD MAN HURTS HIS BACK OR SOMETHING?
GOOD JOB!
HUHUHA!
SHIVER, CHILLS
DARN!
COMP-AH!

BAD OLD MAN! HE EVEN MADE ME ORGANIZE THOSE STUFF!
Mur Mur
: WATER NOISE?
SHALL I TAKE A BATH?
IT'S WATER?
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HWA...RYUN GANG?!

WHAT... WHAT ARE THOSE?
I ONLY CREATED AN ILLUSION USING WATER AND LIGHT.
AN ILLUSIONAL TRICK?!!
I KNEW THERE WAS AN INCANTATION FOR CONJURING UP AN ILLUSION,
BUT IT IS POSSIBLE FOR THEM TO BE THIS REAL?
AND WHAT BRINGS YOU HERE?
THAT IS!
YOUR OLD MAN MADE ME CARRY MOUNTAINOUS AMOUNT OF BAGGAGES.
IF THE PERSON BEHAVES ONLY NICELY,
BEHAVE NICELY?
HE CAN GET INTO A BUSINESS IN WHICH HE CAN'T DRAG HIS BODY OUT.
WAS THAT FOR ME?
If you look at me like that I'm an asshole.
Me?
Fuhuhuha!
I THINK YOU WOULD NEED THIS MORE THAN I DO.
Smirk Smirk
TAKE THIS.

AN UMBRELLA?
Shine
Shine
EH?
IN THIS WEATHER?
I SHOULD BE ABLE TO FIND THE PATH, AFTER THE RAIN STOPS.
DAMN!!
BUT WHERE IS THIS?
IS NO ONE HERE?
IS THERE ANYONE HERE?
I WILL BURDEN YOU JUST UNTIL THE RAIN STOPS!
WHAT A STRANGE HOUSE. A HALLWAY REACHING TO A BASEMENT.
AND FULL OF INCENSE SMELLS.
AH, LIGHT?
I'M SAVED!
AND EVEN A COFFIN?!
WAIT!
A COFFIN?! WAS IT A COFFIN?!
THEN, THIS IS!
HOW STRANGE? WHY IS THIS KIND OF PATH?
I CAN'T SEE THE PATH VERY WELL BECAUSE OF THE RAIN!
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UWA! WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH MY LUCK TODAY?
THIS IS A TOMB!!!
THE UMBRELLA WHERE DID I PUT MY UMBRELLA?
...MY UMBRELLA...
으아
UWAAA!!!
아악!!
愛子李琦嶺之靈堂
CALM DOWN! GET IT TOGETHER, MOOHWE.
EVEN IF IT IS A GHOST,
MY LOVELY CHILD, LEE KIRYUNG'S SPIRIT HOUSE
IT IS STILL YOUNG?
Hmm Hmm
UH... UM.
!
TALK TO HIM FIRST.
IS YOUR NAME KIRYUNG? I'M MOOHWE!
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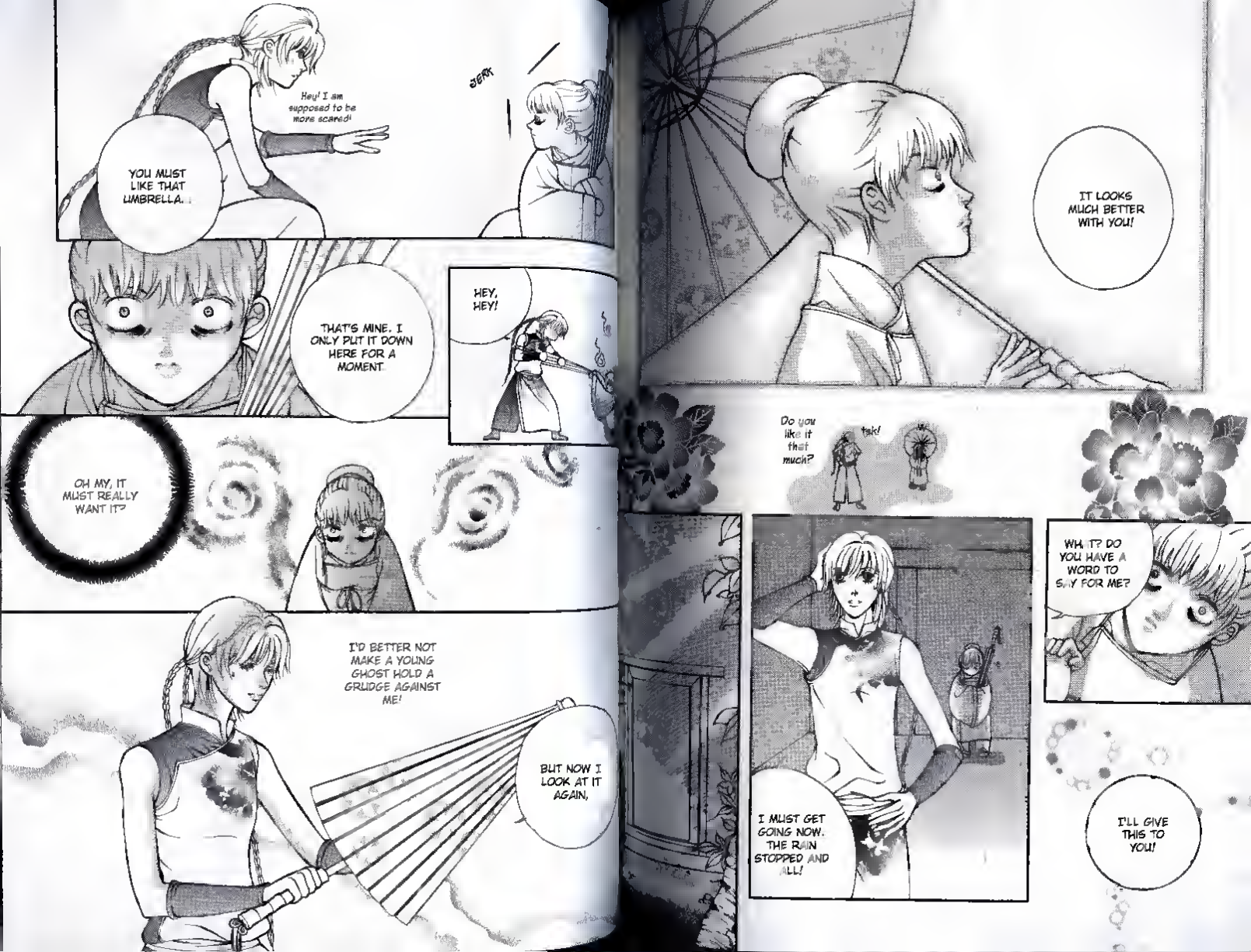
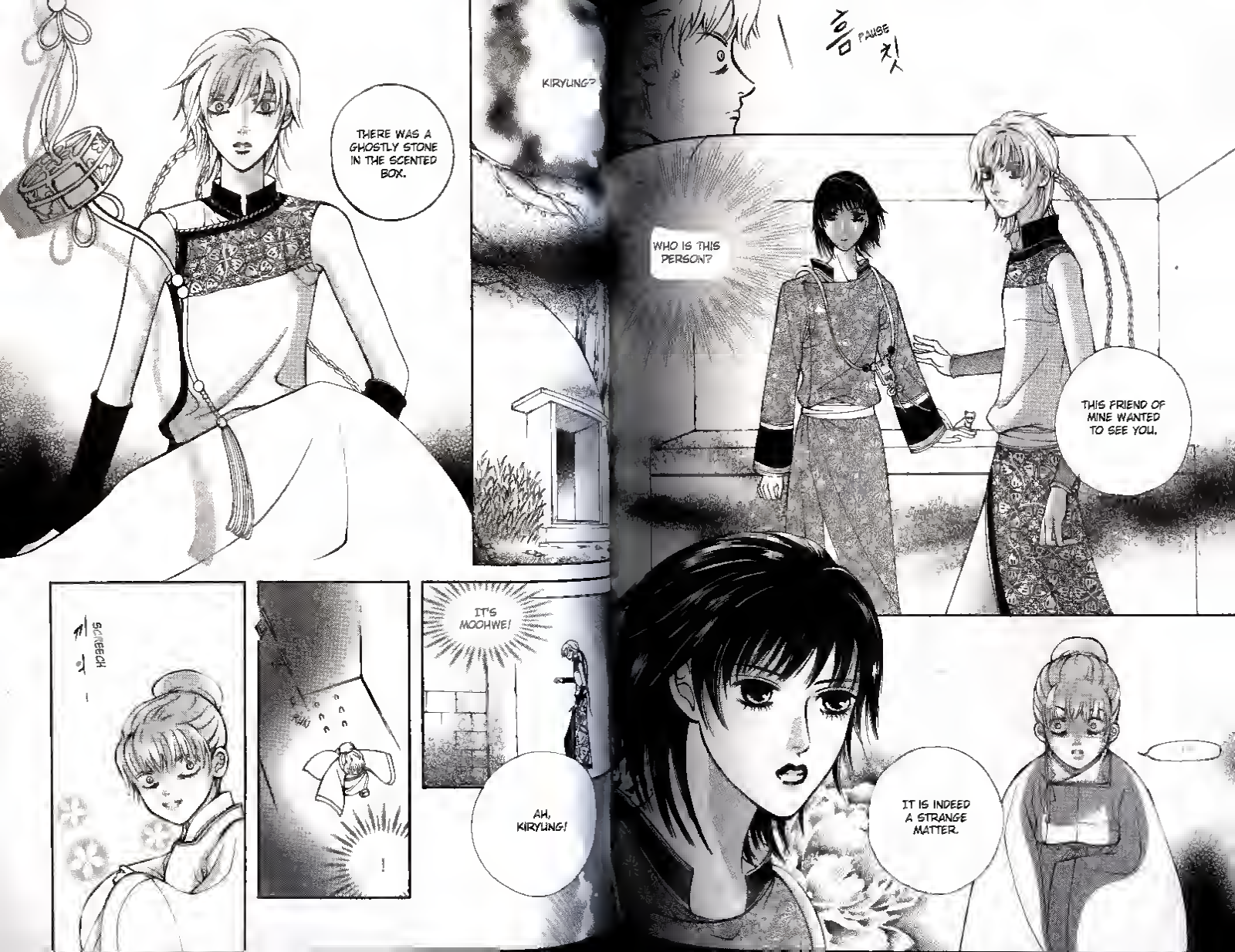

Hey! I am supposed to be more scared!
YOU MUST LIKE THAT UMBRELLA...
JERK
THAT'S MINE. I ONLY PUT IT DOWN HERE FOR A MOMENT.
HEY, HEY!
OH MY, IT MUST REALLY WANT IT?
I'D BETTER NOT MAKE A YOUNG GHOST HOLD A GRUDGE AGAINST ME!
BUT NOW I LOOK AT IT AGAIN,
IT LOOKS MUCH BETTER WITH YOU!
Do you like it that much?
tsk!
I MUST GET GOING NOW. THE RAIN STOPPED AND ALL!
WH, IT? DO YOU HAVE A WORD TO S,Y FOR ME?
I'LL GIVE THIS TO YOU!

A SEVEN-TREASURE SCENTED BOX WITH SILKY THREADS?
COME AGAIN!
THIS THING TO ME?
Gramps
I CAN'T SEE THAT YOUNG MAN AT ALL LATELY.
Eh?
HE CAME!
RUN
다 다 다
EH?! WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOUR COMPLEXION?
UH? WHY HAVE I COME TO THIS PLACE?
YOU HAVE BECOME SCRAWNY. SOMETHING HAPPENED WITH YOU?
UH? OLD MAN?
I'M SUPPOSED TO MEET KIRYUNG...?
HOW STRANGE.
WHAT IS?

THE OLD MAN SOUNDS FARTHER.
KIRYLING MUST BE WAITING FOR ME
HEY!!
I PROMISED TO GO—
TSK, TSK, WHAT A DUMB MAN!
ARE YOU GETTING IT TOGETHER YOURSELF NOW?
WHY DID I?
bonk bonk
YOU IDIOT!
WHAT A FOOL OF ALL WORLD!
WHY DO YOU HIT ME!!
YOU GREW GALINT LIKE THAT, BECAUSE YOU'VE KEPT A GHOSTLY STONE THAT SUCKS PEOPLE'S VITALITY, LIKE A JEWEL!
You are an idiot!
A GHOSTLY STONE?
THAT IS?
FROM WHOM HAVE YOU RECEIVED THIS?


THERE WAS A GHOSTLY STONE IN THE SCENTED BOX.
KIRYUNG?
음 PAUSE 칫
WHO IS THIS PERSON?
THIS FRIEND OF MINE WANTED TO SEE YOU.
SCREECH
IT'S MOOHWE!
AH, KIRYUNG!
IT IS INDEED A STRANGE MATTER.

WHY
IS A LIVING PERSON MIMICING A DEAD ONE?

AFTER CURING THE ILLNESS ALL OTHER DOCTORS HAVE GIVEN UP, THE TAOIST SHAMAN SAID THUS,
THIS CHILD WILL NOT PASS THE AGE OF TEN

WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY THAT, SUN IN (仙人) NIM?
IT IS THE ONLY SUCCESSOR AMONG ALL OF US, FIVE SIBLINGS.
IF SOMETHING BAD HAPPENS TO THE CHILD, HOW COULD WE EVER FACE OUR ANSCESTORS LATER?
*선인(仙人): THOUGH IT MEANS "A LEGENDARY WIZARD, LIVING IN THE MOUNTAINS AND CAPABLE OF PERFORMING MIRACLES, IT'S ALSO USED TO CALL A TAOIST SHAMAN RESPECTFULLY.
THE REASON WHY YOUR CHILD KEEPS HAVING FEVER AND GROWING FEEBLE IS THAT
THE LIFESPAN THAT'S DECIDED BY THE SKY HAS REACHED ITS LIMIT.
!
THOUGH REGRETFUL, WHAT COULD WE DO WHEN YOUR CHILD'S LIFETIME IS SET AS SUCH BY THE NETHERWORLD'S RECORDS?
OH, DEAR MY SUN IN NIM! WE CAN'T LET IT BE. YOU HAVE NO IDEA HOW HARD WE HAVE EARNED THIS CHILD!
!
THERE IS A WAY, BUT THAT IS...
WHAT...WHAT WOULD THAT BE!!
WE WILL DO ANYTHING!
MAKE A TOMB AT THE END OF THE HWANG KYE MOUNTAIN AND MAKE THE CHILD STAY THERE.

A STONE TOMB IN DEEP MOUNTAIN IS HARD TO CALL IT THIS WORLD
I WILL DO MY BEST TO COVER IT FROM MESSENGERS OF THE NETHERWORLD WITH MY POWER
EVEN IF IT IS DECEIVING THE SKY, WHAT COULD YOU DO?
IT IS TO SAVE A CHILD'S LIVE...
BUT MAKE SURE. IN ORDER TO DECEIVE THE SKY, YOU NEED TO DECEIVE PEOPLE THE FIRST!
SO IS THAT HOW YOU LEFT THE CHILD IN THE TOMB?
YOU WILL BEHAVE AS THE CHILD IS DEAD AND CONFINE HIM IN THERE.
EVEN THE PERSON WHO BRINGS IN FOOD MUST NOT ACT FAMILIAR, NOR TRY TO TALK TO HIM.
OH, MY, YES. WHAT COULD WE DO WHEN THE SUN IN NIM IS SAYING THAT?
Oh
EVERYONE IS KEEPING IT HUSH, BUT PEOPLE STILL KNOW ABOUT IT.
Oh, Sun in nim! You have come!
THEN, THE MESSENGER OF THE NETHERWORLD WILL NOT ALSO BE ABLE TO TAKE YOUR CHILD AWAY.

SUN IN NIM, HOW ARE YOU?
HAVE A TASTE OF THIS, SUN IN NIM!
...
KIRYUNG, WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE?
THE SCENTED BOX WITH THE GHOSTLY STONE?
I DID TELL HIM TO THROW IT AWAY?
WHAT ARE YOU DOING NOW...?
퍽 BAM
퍽 BAM
KIRYUNG?
STOP! YOU'RE GOING TO GET HURT!
ALTHOUGH I HAVE HEARD OF NAMING A CHILD A LOWLY NAME INTENTIONALLY TO LENGTHEN ITS LIFE,
OR MAKING A BOY WEAR GIRLS' DRESSES,
THIS IS FIRST TIME HEARING DECEIVING THE MESSENGER OF THE NETHER-WORLD BY HIDING THE CHILD IN A TOMB!

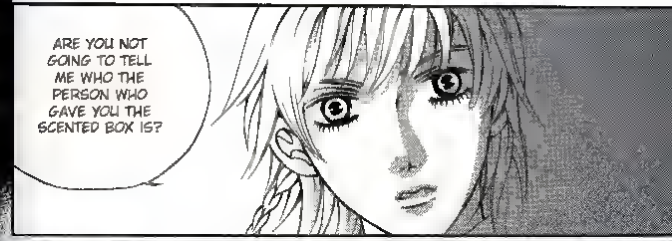
YOU ARE GOING TO GET HURT!
WELL, IT'S ONLY NATURAL HE MUST BE RESENTFUL!
파닥 FLAP
파닥 FLAP

IF YOU WERE A GIRL,
I WOULD HAVE WELCOMED YOU RIGHT AWAY AS A BRIDE

STAY STILL!
POW
POW

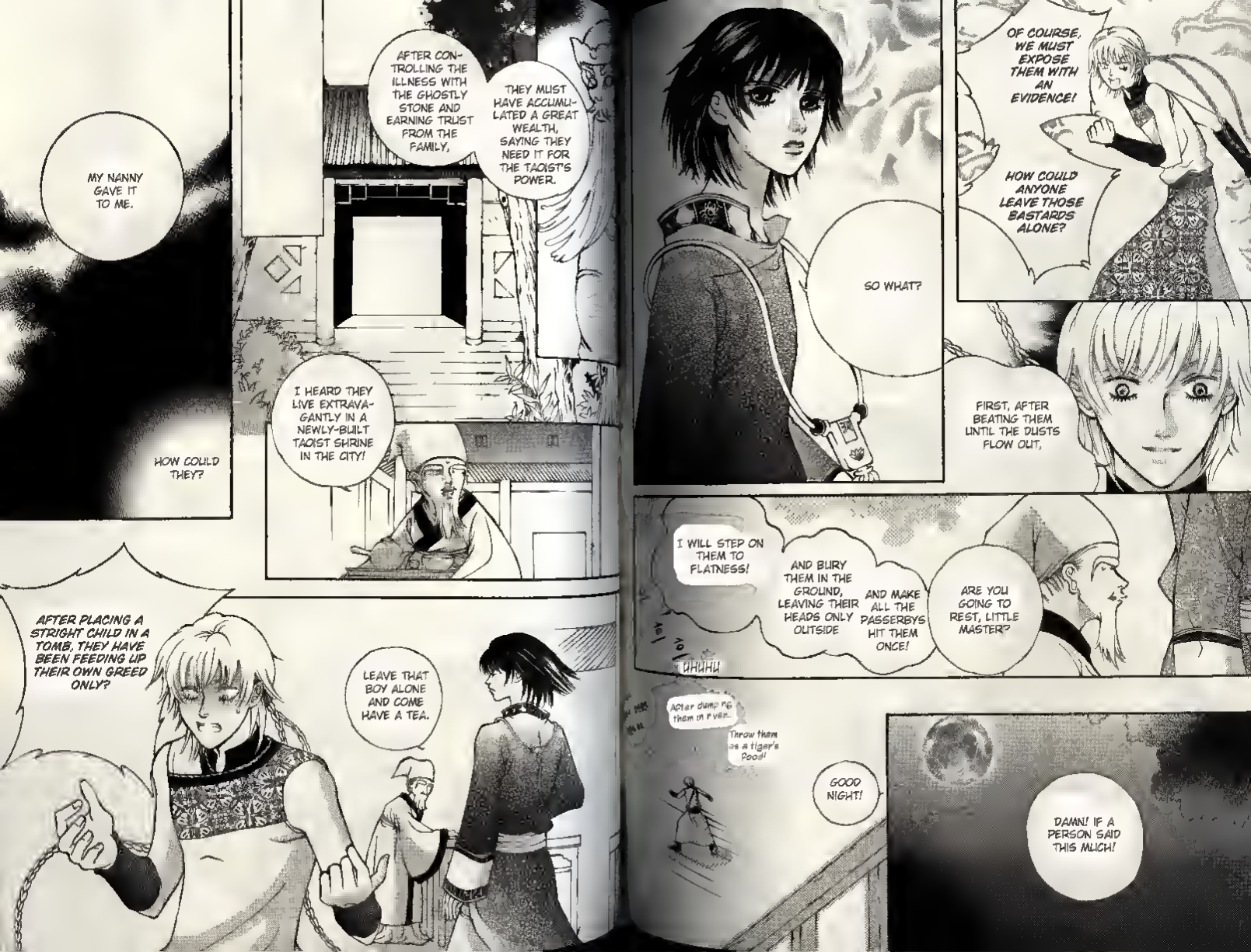
WHAT A CUTE THING!
STRETCH

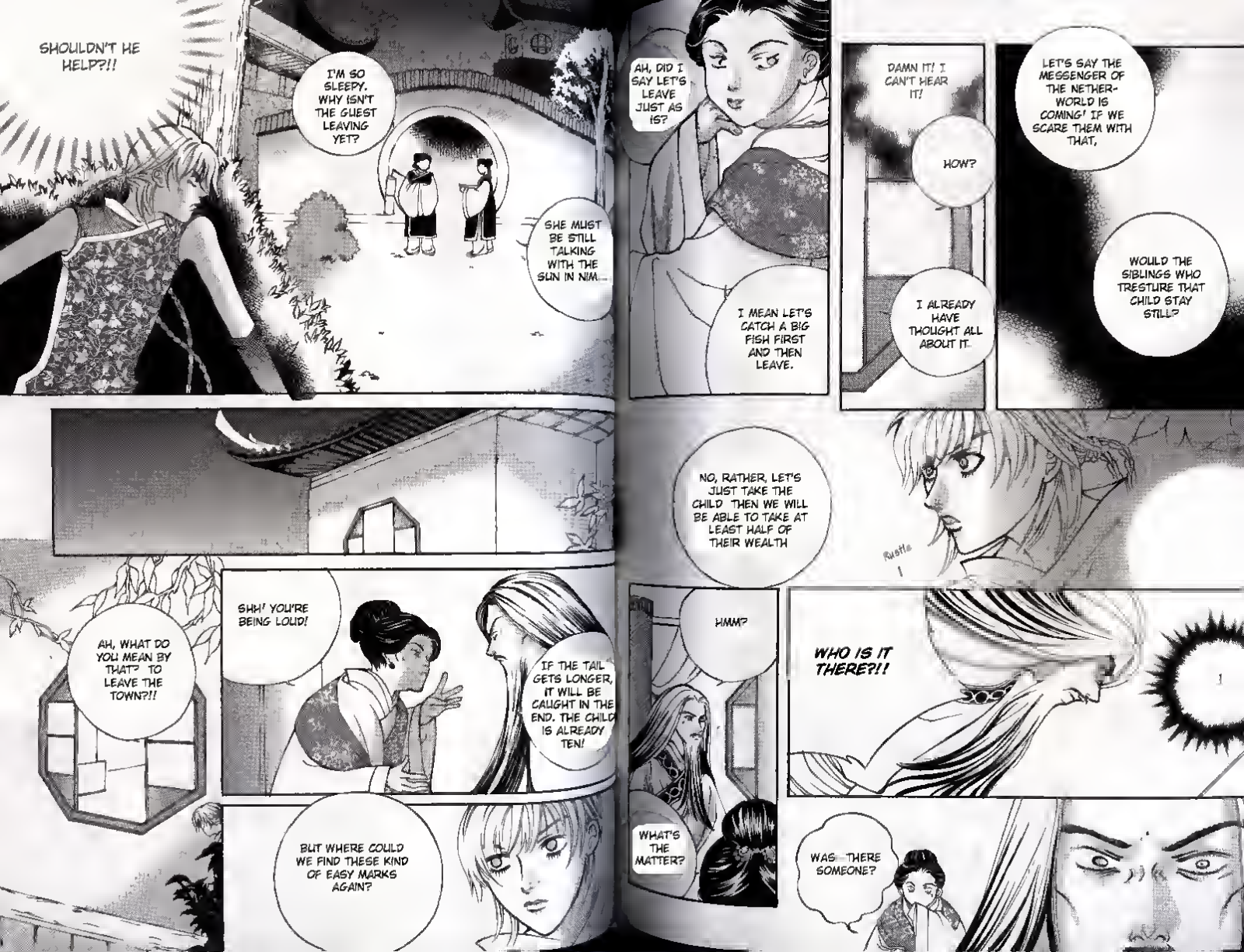
EITHER WAY, IT'S A GOOD THING
WITHOUT THE GHOSTLY STONE, YOUR COMPLEXION IS GETTING BETTER. YOU'VE BECOME VERY PRETTY.

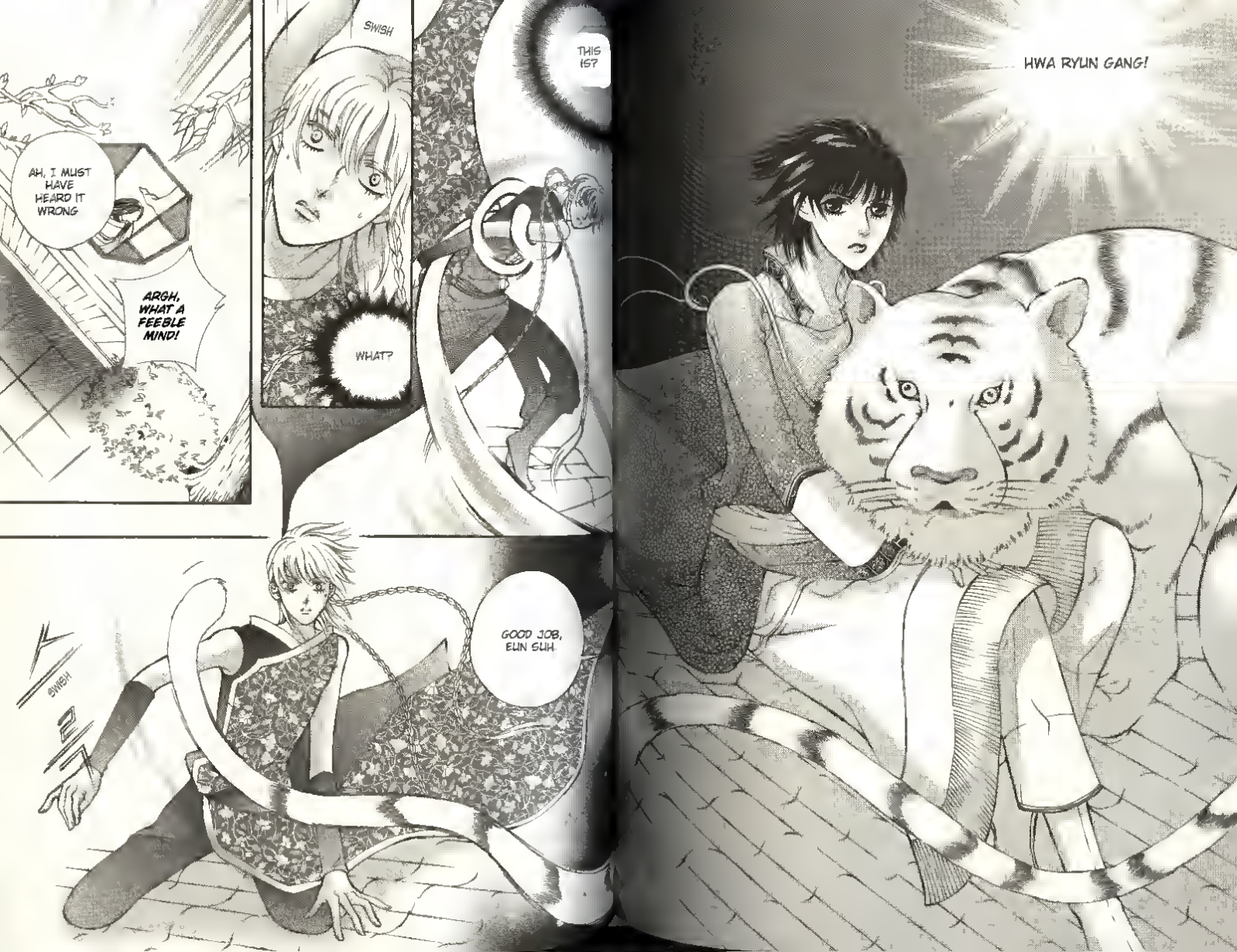

BUT
ARE YOU NOT GOING TO TELL ME WHO THE PERSON WHO GAVE YOU THE SCENTED BOX IS?

YOU STILL DON'T WANT TO TELL ME?
...

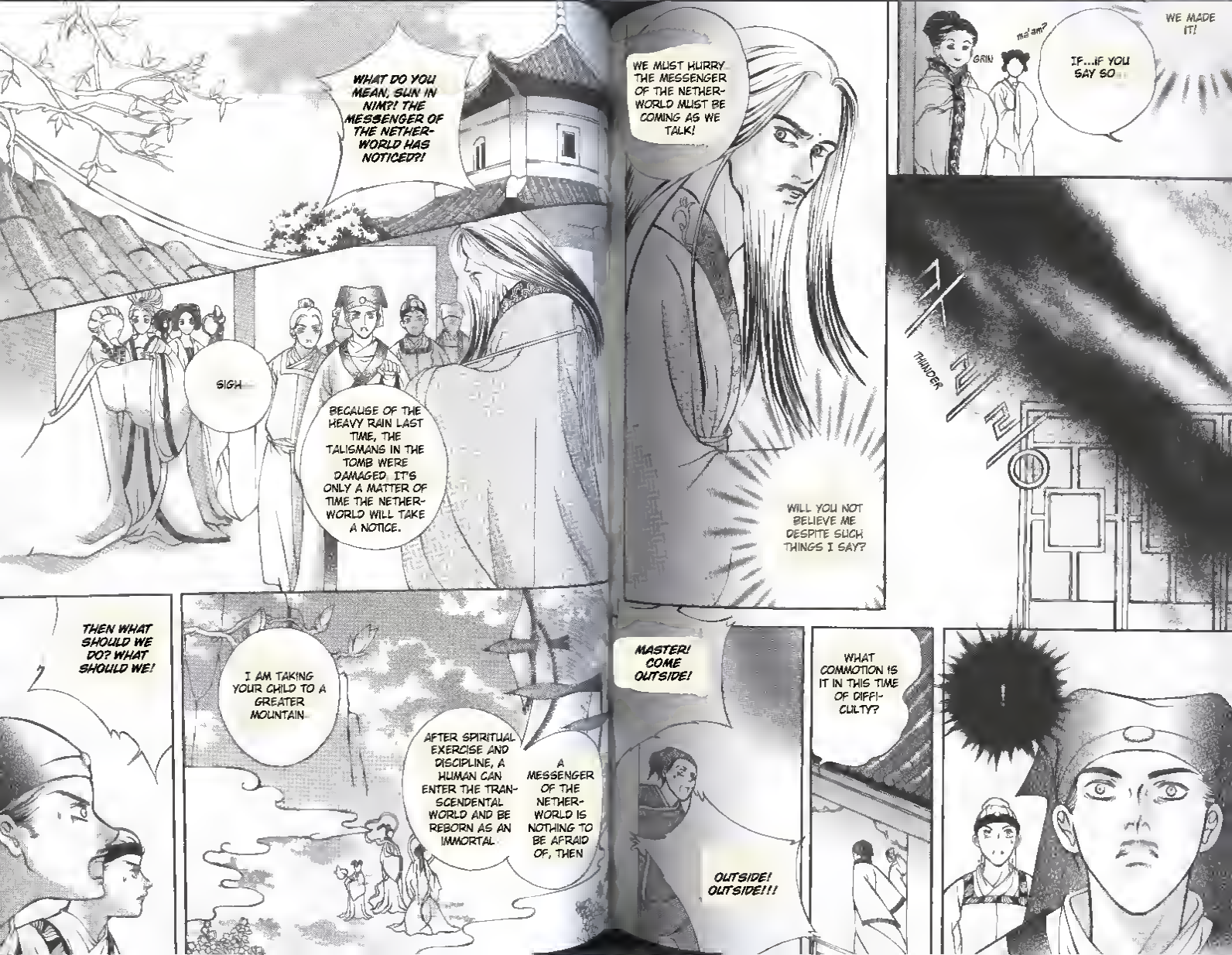
!
MY NANNY...

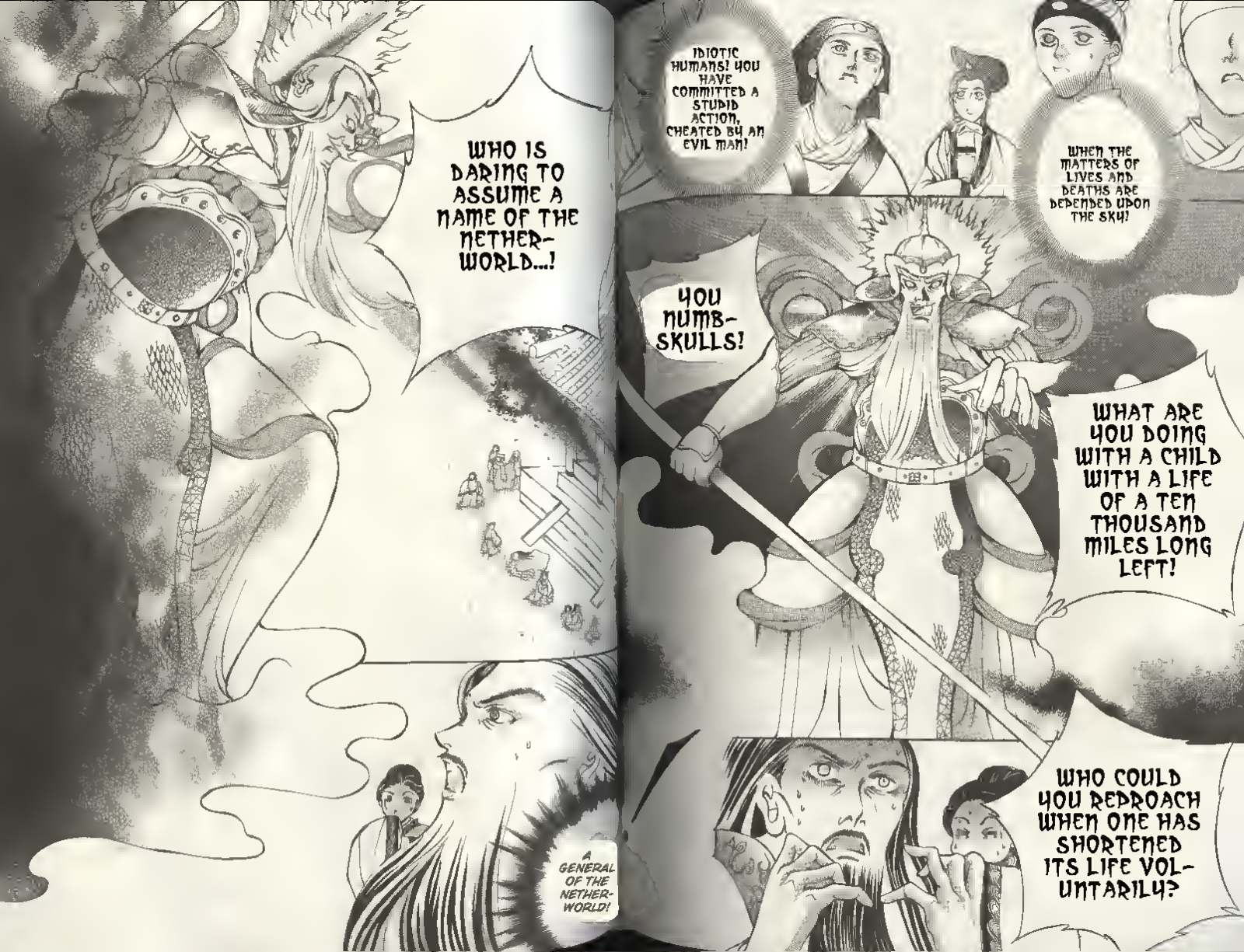

MY NANNY GAVE IT TO ME.
HOW COULD THEY?
I HEARD THEY LIVE EXTRAVAGANTLY IN A NEWLY-BUILT TAOIST SHRINE IN THE CITY!
AFTER CONTROLLING THE ILLNESS WITH THE GHOSTLY STONE AND EARNING TRUST FROM THE FAMILY,
THEY MUST HAVE ACCUMULATED A GREAT WEALTH, SAYING THEY NEED IT FOR THE TAOIST'S POWER.
AFTER PLACING A STRIGHT CHILD IN A TOMB, THEY HAVE BEEN FEEDING UP THEIR OWN GREED ONLY?
LEAVE THAT BOY ALONE AND COME HAVE A TEA.
SO WHAT?
OF COURSE, WE MUST EXPOSE THEM WITH AN EVIDENCE!
HOW COULD ANYONE LEAVE THOSE BASTARDS ALONE?
FIRST, AFTER BEATING THEM UNTIL THE DUSTS FLOW OUT,
I WILL STEP ON THEM TO FLATNESS!
AND BURY THEM IN THE GROUND, LEAVING THEIR HEADS ONLY OUTSIDE
AND MAKE ALL THE PASSERBYS HIT THEM ONCE!
ARE YOU GOING TO REST, LITTLE MASTER?
HUHHU
After dumping them in river.
Throw them as a tiger's food!
GOOD NIGHT!
DAMN! IF A PERSON SAID THIS MUCH!


SHOULDN'T HE HELP?!!
I'M SO SLEEPY. WHY ISN'T THE GUEST LEAVING YET?
SHE MUST BE STILL TALKING WITH THE SUN IN NIM...
AH, DID I SAY LET'S LEAVE JUST AS IS?
I MEAN LET'S CATCH A BIG FISH FIRST AND THEN LEAVE.
DAMN IT! I CAN'T HEAR IT!
HOW?
I ALREADY HAVE THOUGHT ALL ABOUT IT.
LET'S SAY THE MESSENGER OF THE NETHER-WORLD IS COMING! IF WE SCARE THEM WITH THAT,
WOULD THE SIBLINGS WHO TRESTURE THAT CHILD STAY STILL?
NO, RATHER, LET'S JUST TAKE THE CHILD THEN WE WILL BE ABLE TO TAKE AT LEAST HALF OF THEIR WEALTH
Rustle
AH, WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY THAT? TO LEAVE THE TOWN?!!
SHH! YOU'RE BEING LOUD!
IF THE TAIL GETS LONGER, IT WILL BE CAUGHT IN THE END. THE CHILD IS ALREADY TEN!
BUT WHERE COULD WE FIND THESE KIND OF EASY MARKS AGAIN?
HMM?
WHAT'S THE MATTER?
WHO IS IT THERE?!!
!
WAS THERE SOMEONE?

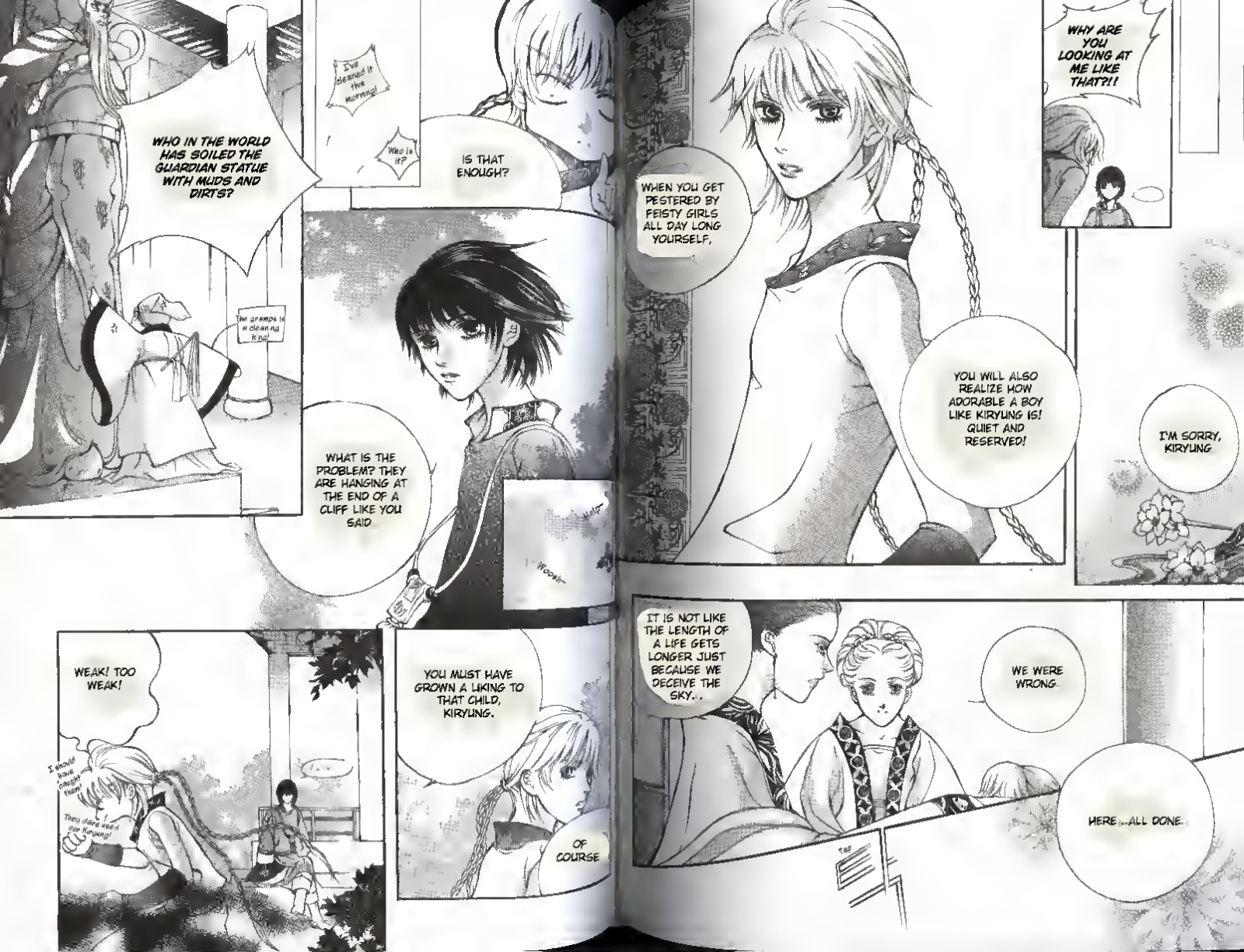

AH, I MUST HAVE HEARD IT WRONG
ARGH, WHAT A FEEBLE MIND!
SWISH
WHAT?
THIS IS?
HWA RYUN GANG!
GOOD JOB, EUN SUH.
SWISH

DAMN, IF HE WAS GOING TO HELP!
WHY COULDN'T HE HAVE TOLD ME FIRST!
I reproach you!
FOM
AFTER TAKING ALL THEIR WEALTH, WE'LL LEAVE THIS PLACE RIGHT AWAY
OK, THEN WHAT ABOUT THE CHILD?
ARE YOU GOING TO STAY THERE LONGER?
호호호
HO HO HO
WHAT ARE YOU WORRIED ABOUT?
WHAT IS OVER THERE?
THIS IS?
IT'S EASY TO DO AWAY WITH JUST A LITTLE KID WITHOUT BEING NOTICED!
OH MY!!

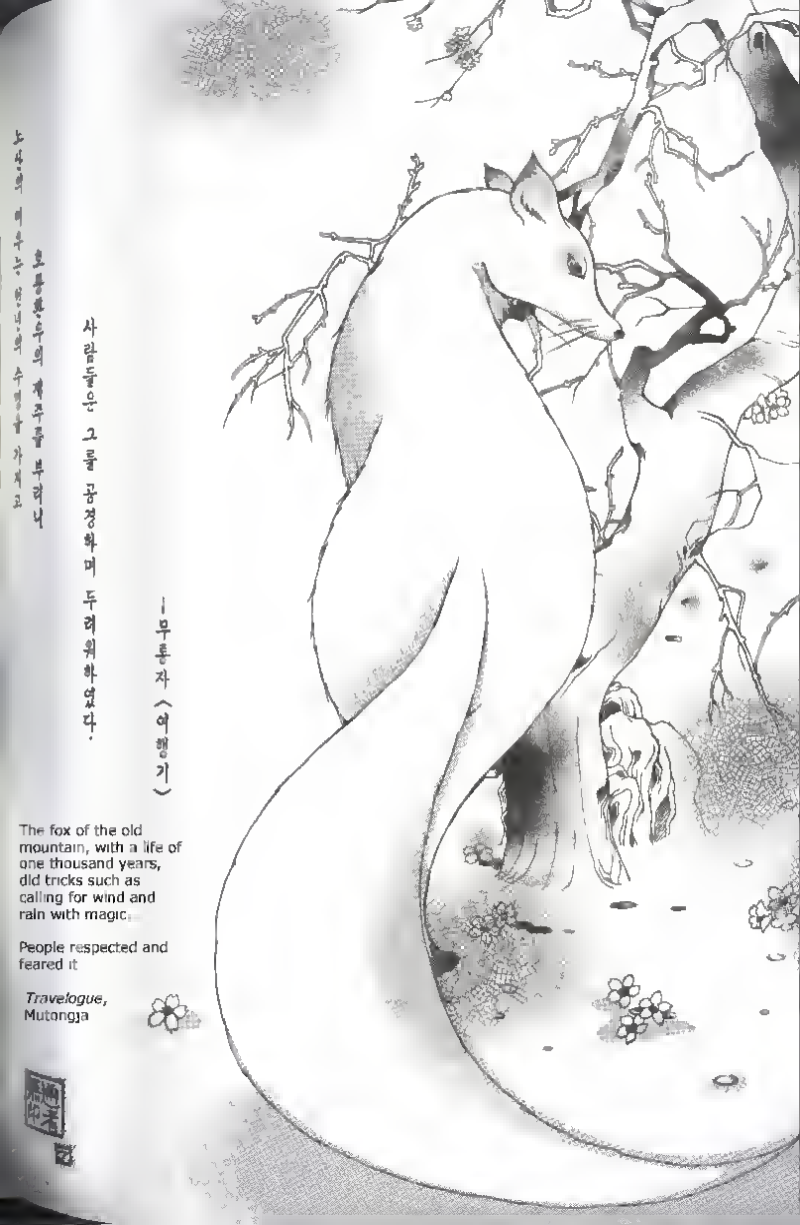

WHAT DO YOU MEAN, SUN IN NIM?! THE MESSENGER OF THE NETHER-WORLD HAS NOTICED?!
SIGH
BECAUSE OF THE HEAVY RAIN LAST TIME, THE TALISMANS IN THE TOMB WERE DAMAGED. IT'S ONLY A MATTER OF TIME THE NETHER-WORLD WILL TAKE A NOTICE.
WE MUST HURRY. THE MESSENGER OF THE NETHER-WORLD MUST BE COMING AS WE TALK!
WILL YOU NOT BELIEVE ME DESPITE SUCH THINGS I SAY?
GRIN
ma'am?
IF...IF YOU SAY SO...
WE MADE IT!
THUNDER
THEN WHAT SHOULD WE DO? WHAT SHOULD WE!
I AM TAKING YOUR CHILD TO A GREATER MOUNTAIN
AFTER SPIRITUAL EXERCISE AND DISCIPLINE, A HUMAN CAN ENTER THE TRANSCENDENTAL WORLD AND BE REBORN AS AN IMMORTAL
A MESSENGER OF THE NETHER-WORLD IS NOTHING TO BE AFRAID OF, THEN
MASTER! COME OUTSIDE!
OUTSIDE! OUTSIDE!!!
WHAT COMMOTION IS IT IN THIS TIME OF DIFFICULTY?


WHO IS DARING TO ASSUME A NAME OF THE NETHER-WORLD...!
A GENERAL OF THE NETHER-WORLD!
IDIOTIC HUMANS! YOU HAVE COMMITTED A STUPID ACTION, CHEATED BY AN EVIL MAN!
WHEN THE MATTERS OF LIVES AND DEATHS ARE DEPENDED UPON THE SKY!
YOU NUMB-SKULLS!
WHAT ARE YOU DOING WITH A CHILD WITH A LIFE OF A TEN THOUSAND MILES LONG LEFT!
WHO COULD YOU REPROACH WHEN ONE HAS SHORTENED ITS LIFE VOL-UNTARILY?

YOU TWO, COME WITH ME!!!
HELP!
HELP!
THEN!
WHAT ABOUT OUR KIRYUNG?!!!
Eek
OH MY GOD! POOR THING MUST BE SHIVERING BY ITSELF IN THE TOMB!
WAIT THERE! KIRYUNG! WE'RE COMING!!!
KIRYUNG!!!
KIRYUNG!
THANK GOD.
OH, MY BABY!
WHAT-- IN THE WORLD?


WHO IN THE WORLD HAS SOILED THE GUARDIAN STATUE WITH MUDS AND DIRTS?
We promise to be clean as King!
I've cleaned it this morning!
Who is it?
IS THAT ENOUGH?
WHAT IS THE PROBLEM? THEY ARE HANGING AT THE END OF A CLIFF LIKE YOU SAID
Help!
Woosh!
WHEN YOU GET PESTERED BY FEISTY GIRLS ALL DAY LONG YOURSELF,
YOU WILL ALSO REALIZE HOW ADORABLE A BOY LIKE KIRYUNG IS! QUIET AND RESERVED!
WHY ARE YOU LOOKING AT ME LIKE THAT?!!
I'M SORRY, KIRYUNG
WEAK! TOO WEAK!
I should have caught them!
They dare insult our Kiryung!
YOU MUST HAVE GROWN A LIKING TO THAT CHILD, KIRYUNG.
OF COURSE
IT IS NOT LIKE THE LENGTH OF A LIFE GETS LONGER JUST BECAUSE WE DECEIVE THE SKY...
WE WERE WRONG
HERE...ALL DONE.

IF YOU WERE A GIRL,
YOU LOOK VERY GOOD!
I WOULD HAVE WELCOMED YOU RIGHT AWAY AS A BRIDE...



오랜 산의 여우는 일천 년의 수명을 가지고
호풍환우의 재주를 부리니
사람들은 그를 공경하며 두려워하였다.

-무통자 〈여행기〉

The fox of the old mountain, with a life of one thousand years, did tricks such as calling for wind and rain with magic.

People respected and feared it

Travelogue,
Mutongja

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Chapter 3 The Fox Bride

HUU...
ABRUPTLY HE HAD LEFT LIKE THIS...
HE MUST HAVE FELT UNEASY, BECAUSE IT'S A SOMEONE ELSE'S HOUSE.
I SHOULD HAVE PAID MORE ATTENTION...
DO YOU SORELY MISS HIM?
THE CHILDREN DO, RATHER THAN I
THIS IS A CONSPIRACY.
DAD MUST HAVE ENVIED UNCLE'S BEAUTY.
THAT'S WHY HE KICKED HIM OUT!

Don't you agree?
Yea
I yea
ALL OF YOU!
How could you be talking about your dad as such?
It was because of you guys!
IT'S ALRIGHT, HONEY! THEY ARE ONLY CHILDREN. BE GENEROUS.
SANG GONG...
BUT WHERE HAS HE GONE TO?
FRICK
I THOUGHT HE WOULD COME HERE.
BAAAAD ONE!
HE HAD LEFT? I CAN'T EVEN COUNT HOW MUCH I HAVE EXERTED FOR HIM!
SWEEP SWEEP
A FRIEND OF HIS LIVES IN GYO RYUNG TOWN. HE'S HEADING THERE.
GYO RYUNG TOWN?
I'm ok
Please give her to me. She's heavy
TWO DAYS ON A BOAT, THAT IS NOT TOO FAR.
WAAA! THAT IS FAR!
WA!
WAAAH!
SIGH
IT'S FIRST SEEING YOU LIKE ANY PERSON LIKE THAT!
TURN
OF COURSE! IT'S A YOUNG MAN'S LABOR! A YOUNG ONE!
FOR ALL THIS TIME, I HAVE GIVEN HIM RICE, TEA AND SNACKS!
BETRAYED HE HAS!
AND I THOUGHT HE WOULD BECOME—
WHAT?

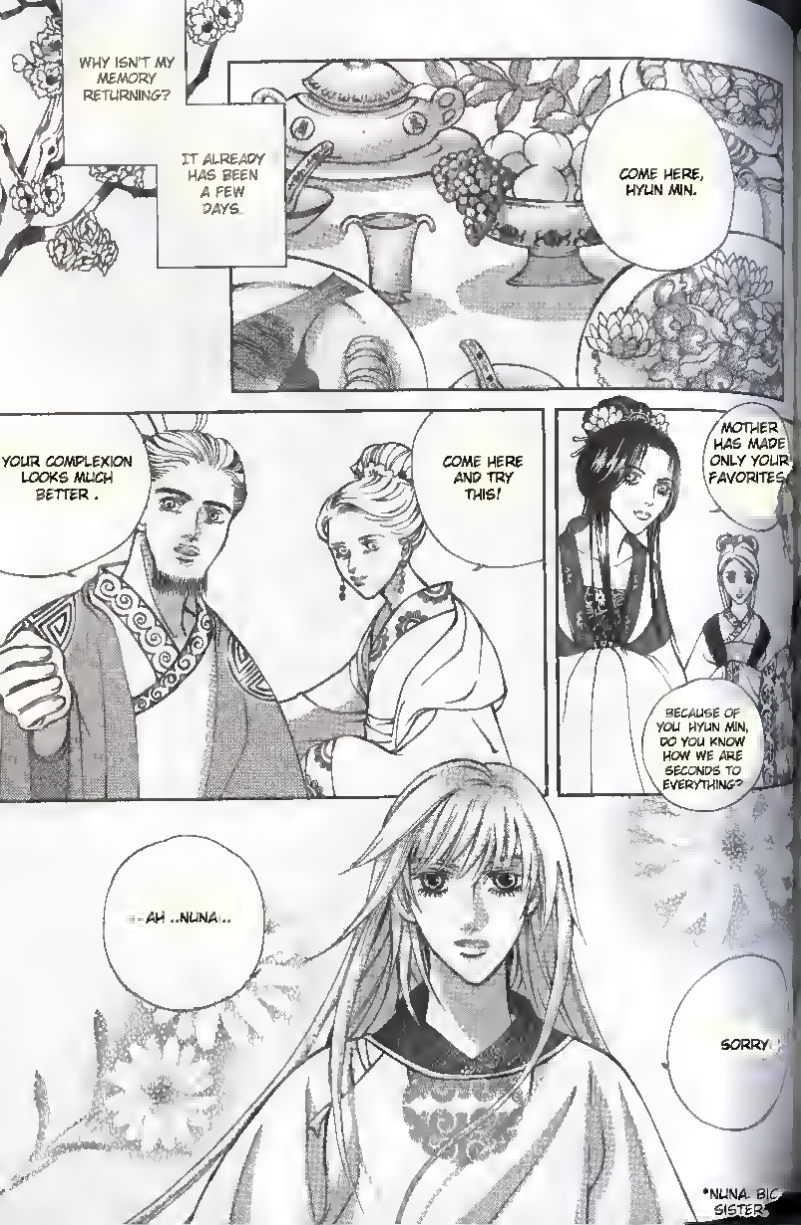
THERE IS ONLY OLD ME AS SOMEONE TO TALK TO IN HERE, AT WOON BAEK RIM.
WOULDN'T YOU NEED YOUR OWN PEER AS A FRIEND?
DON'T THINK ON AN UN-NECESSARY THING, GRAMPS.
WHY WOULD I NEED SUCH THING AS SOMEONE TO TALK TO?
LET'S GO, EUN SUH.
HMM!
_No! Even if he says so, he must be feeling lonely, too!
Shout
Shout
Ingrate!
Break your foot on your way!
HMM ..!!
DID I THINK OF IT WRONG?
Ah~ What a nice scenery!
ALTHOUGH I LEFT BECAUSE I FELT I WAS BURDENING NUNIM TOO MUCH...
THAT GUY'S HOUSE SEEMED TO HAVE PLENTY ROOMS, TOO. SHOULD I HAVE GONE THERE?
FORECAST
How useful it is to have a young man's labor!
Put more effort in there. What a with that mopping!
NO, I CAN'T DO THAT!
THAT'S WHY I HAVE LEFT FROM NUNIM'S HOUSE!!!
WHAT IS WRONG WITH THAT YOUNG MAN?
CHANGING COLOR FROM BLUE TO RED BACK AND FORTH!
OHH, ARE YOU ALONE?

MAY I SIT HERE? THIS BOAT IS QUITE FULL.
AH, YES. GO AHEAD!
YES
THIS IS ALSO A CONNECTION WE'VE MADE. HAVE A DRINK.
BUT
WOULDN'T YOUR FAMILY BE WORRIED IF YOU TRAVEL BY YOURSELF?
OH, HOW COULD THAT BE?
IT IS LIKE THAT.
CAN I EAT MORE OF THESE?
GYO RYUNG TOWN!
WE HAVE ARRIVED AT GYO RYUNG TOWN!
IF IT WAS DIFFICULT TO ANSWER, YOU DON'T NEED TO. I DIDN'T MEAN ANYTHING BY IT.
THIS PERSON?
WELL,
I DON'T THINK THEY WOULD BE WORRIED MUCH, SINCE I HAVE BEEN THROWN AWAY FROM THE HOUSE
EH? WHAT'S WRONG WITH THAT CUSTOMER?
HE HAD A BAD MOTION SICKNESS. I'M TAKING HIM TO A DOCTOR

OH MY, HURRY ON, THEN.
WE WERE GOING TO, THANKS.
HERE.
HURRY AND CONTACT THE MASTER.
THAT WE HAVE FOUND THE PERSON
DAMN. I WAS CARELESS.
WHO IS THAT PERSON?
MY HEAD FEELS AS IF IT'S FULL OF FOG..

MY CHILD..
SWEETIE..
!
ARE YOU FEELING OK, HYUN MIN?
WHO?
YOU HAVE WORRIED YOUR PARENTS! AN UNFILIAL CHILD YOU ARE!
THIS IS YOUR MOM, CAN YOU RECOGNIZE ME?
WHO ARE YOU?
HYUN MIN?!!

HYUN MIN?
THAT IS...MY NAME?
MY HEAD FEELS AS IF IT'S SHATTERING
WHY IS IT SO HEAVY LIKE THIS?
HEY, DOCTOR! WHAT'S WRONG WITH MY CHILD?
WHY DOES HE NOT RECOGNIZE US?
I CAN'T...
!
REMEMBER...
WHAT KIND OF ILLNESS IS THIS?
TO NOT REMEMBER ANYTHING!
THE PEOPLE WHO CARRIED THE YOUNG MASTER BACK MUST HAVE BEEN A LITTLE ROUGH.
IT IS A TEMPORARY MEMORY LOSS DUE TO A MILD IMPACT ON THE HEAD.
THEN...THEN CAN IT BE CURED?
OF COURSE. AFTER RESTING A FEW DAYS FULLY AND GETTING TREATMENT, IT WILL BE SOON ALL CURED.
I SEE... THAT'S FORTUNATE.


WHY ISN'T MY MEMORY RETURNING?
IT ALREADY HAS BEEN A FEW DAYS.
COME HERE, HYUN MIN.
YOUR COMPLEXION LOOKS MUCH BETTER.
COME HERE AND TRY THIS!
MOTHER HAS MADE ONLY YOUR FAVORITES.
BECAUSE OF YOU HYUN MIN, DO YOU KNOW HOW WE ARE SECONDS TO EVERYTHING?
-AH ..NUNA...
SORRY.
*NUNA: BIG SISTER

FOR WHAT ARE YOU TEASING YOUR BROTHER LIKE THAT?
OH! MOTHER!
UNTIL YOU ARE ALL CURED, DOCTOR JUNG HAS DECIDED TO STAY HERE.
HE WILL CURE YOU ALL GOOD SINCE HE'S THE MOST RENOWNED IN THE NATION.
AH...I SEE.
WHAT'S WRONG? ARE YOU FEELING UNCOMFORTABLE?
AH- NOTHING NUNA. THIS HAIR IS A BIT UNCOMFORTABLE

OWW! HOW NICE OF HER! GOOD FOR YOU, HYUN MIN.
LEAVE HER ALONE. THE THIRD ONE ALWAYS GOT ALONG WITH HYUN MIN THE BEST.
I DIDN'T THINK ABOUT THAT. COME HERE
ALL DONE.
Tap
WEDDING? FOR WHOM?
HAHA! OF COURSE IT'S YOU!
DON'T BE EMBARRASSED!
WHAT ARE THEY SAYING? I DON'T REMEMBER!
Although it's only expected
AH. .HMM. OK...
I look like this!
MY SON IS SO HANDSOME.
THANK GOD, YOU HAVE RETURNED ON TIME.
RIGHT ON TIME FOR YOUR WEDDING DATE.
NO NO NO
A WEDDING?
HELP HELP
IT LOOKS LIKE IT CAME OUT OF THE HOUSE...
HUH? A FOX?
EH? WHAT IS THAT, LITTLE MASTER?

IT'S AN INVITATION, GRAMPS.
MY FRIEND'S DAUGHTER IS GETTING MARRIED.
REALLY? THEN YOU MUST GET READY FOR THE TRAVEL
YOU SHOULD GET SOME FRESH AIR FROM TIME TO TIME.
I'LL GET IT READY SOON
IT'S BOTHERSOME I'M NOT GOING.
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
GO RIGHT NOW!
IT IS NO GOOD FOR A YOUNG PERSON TO ONLY STAY AT HOME!
MEET YOUR FRIEND! AND HAVE FRESH AIR!
I'M GOING TO DO THE GREAT SPRING CLEANING AT THE HOUSE THAT I HAVE BEEN POSTPONING.
PLEASE DO NOT RETURN BEFORE THE FIFTEENTH OF THE MONTH HAS PASSED
Do you want to breathe in all the dusts and dirts?
THEN HAVE A GOOD TRIP!
AT THIS TIME OF THE DAY?
I SHALL GET GOING SLOWLY, EUN SUH
IF IT'S UNTIL THE FIFTEENTH, I STILL HAVE TIME.
ON THE FIFTEENTH OF THE LUNAR MONTH, THE MOON BECOMES FULL
THE OLD MOUNTAIN?
THE DOCK IS OVER THERE.
Is that a girl or a boy?
TO GET THERE, TAKING A BOAT IS THE BEST SCENERIES ARE QUITE SOMETHING, TOO.

DAMN! HE RAN!
WE UNDERESTIMATED!
FIND HIM RIGHT AWAY
JUMP
!
타닷
RUN
EUN SUH?
IS THERE SOMETHING OVER THERE?
LOOK IN ALL CORNERS!
!

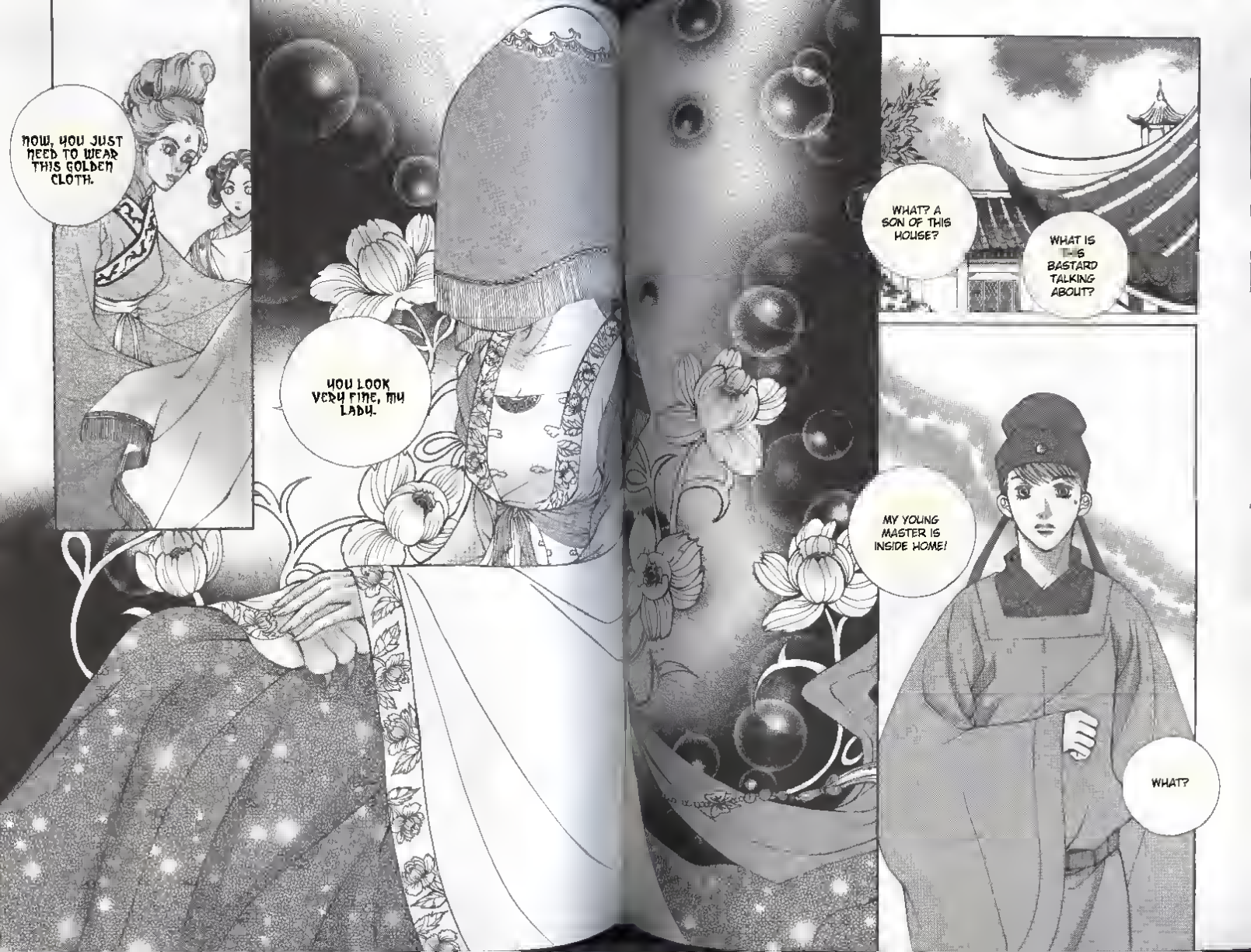
WATCH THE DOCK!
YOU MUST NOT LET HIM GET ON THE BOAT!
UM UMM
I DON'T KNOW YOU BUT, PLEASE HELP ME
I MUST CROSS THIS RIVER.
WHAT WAS THAT ALL ABOUT? THEY RUMMAGED THROUGH MY BAGS!
COMPLAIN
COMPLAIN
LIKE HOW A PERSON CAN BE INSIDE OF THIS SMALL BOX.
THEY EVEN PULLED MY BEARD, SAYING IF IT WAS FAKE.
WHAT WERE THEY SAYING WITH MY SON, WHILE TRYING TO LOOK FOR SOMEONE ELSE?

OH, MY, IN THIS SITUATION, EVEN A RAT COULDN'T ESCAPE!
THAT'S RIGHT!
I MERELY HAD A SAME DESTINA-TION
BUT THANK YOU VERY MUCH AGAIN.
I'M JOO HYUN MIN OF GYO RYUNG TOWN.
TREMBLE
TREMBLE
!
I HAVE TURNED INTO A RAT...
THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR HELPING.
HOW COULD I EVER RETURN MY GRATITUDE...
A WEDDING?
A WEDDING?

WHAT IS THAT ABOUT?
YELL
YELL
I HAVE AGED ONLY THIS MUCH!!
EH?
NOW I THINK ABOUT IT,
I DON'T EVEN REMEMBER
HOW OLD I AM!!
IF SOMEONE SEES YOU, HE WOULD THINK SUSPICIOUS OF YOU.
WHY DON'T YOU HAVE SENSES?
NO MATTER HOW YOU LOOK AT IT,
THIS MATTER IS FOR OUR HYUN MIN AND OUR FAMILY.
YOU HAVE NOT FORGOTTEN ABOUT IT, HAVE YOU?
ARGH! DAMN!
I'M AN IDIOT!
WHY ARE YOU MAKING THAT KIND OF FACE?
YOU SHOULD BE HAPPY SINCE OUR BROTHER HAS RETURNED!
LINNEE...
THAT
I KNOW VERY WELL, LINNEE.

HOWEVER,
Sixteen?!
Seventeen?
TO PASS OVER AN INNOCENT PERSON TO A YOGYE...

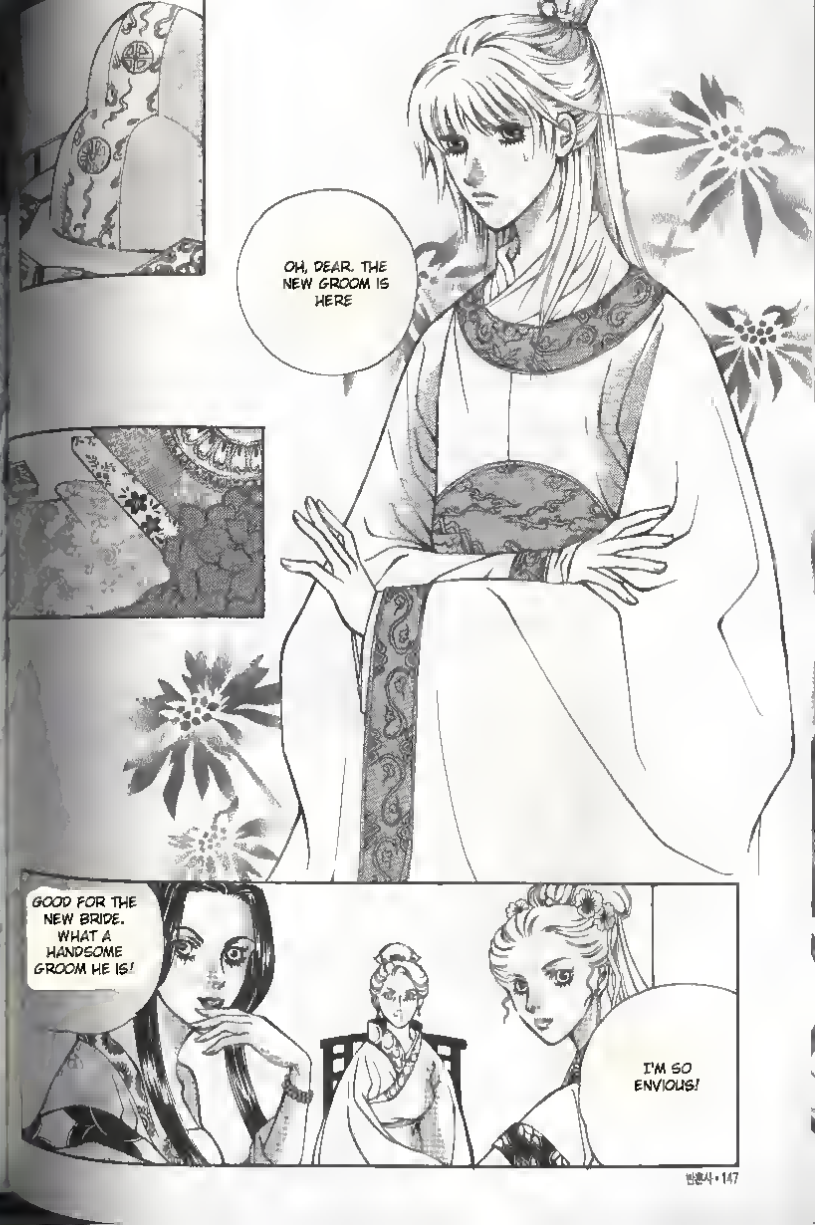
THE MOON IS GETTING FULLER.
IS THE WEDDING CEREMONY READY?
OF COURSE, MUSIC IS READY.
I ALSO PREPARED A VERY STABLE AND BEAUTIFUL PALANQUIN.
I'VE ALSO PREPARED STRONG PALANQUIN CARRIERS.
DON'T WORRY. WHITE SNAKE GRANNY HAS ALL TAKEN CARE OF IT.
AND WHAT ABOUT PREPARATIONS ON YOUR GIRL?
IT WOULD BE OVERWHELMING BY HERSELF.
HERE, NOW...YOU'RE ALL GOOD, MY LADY.

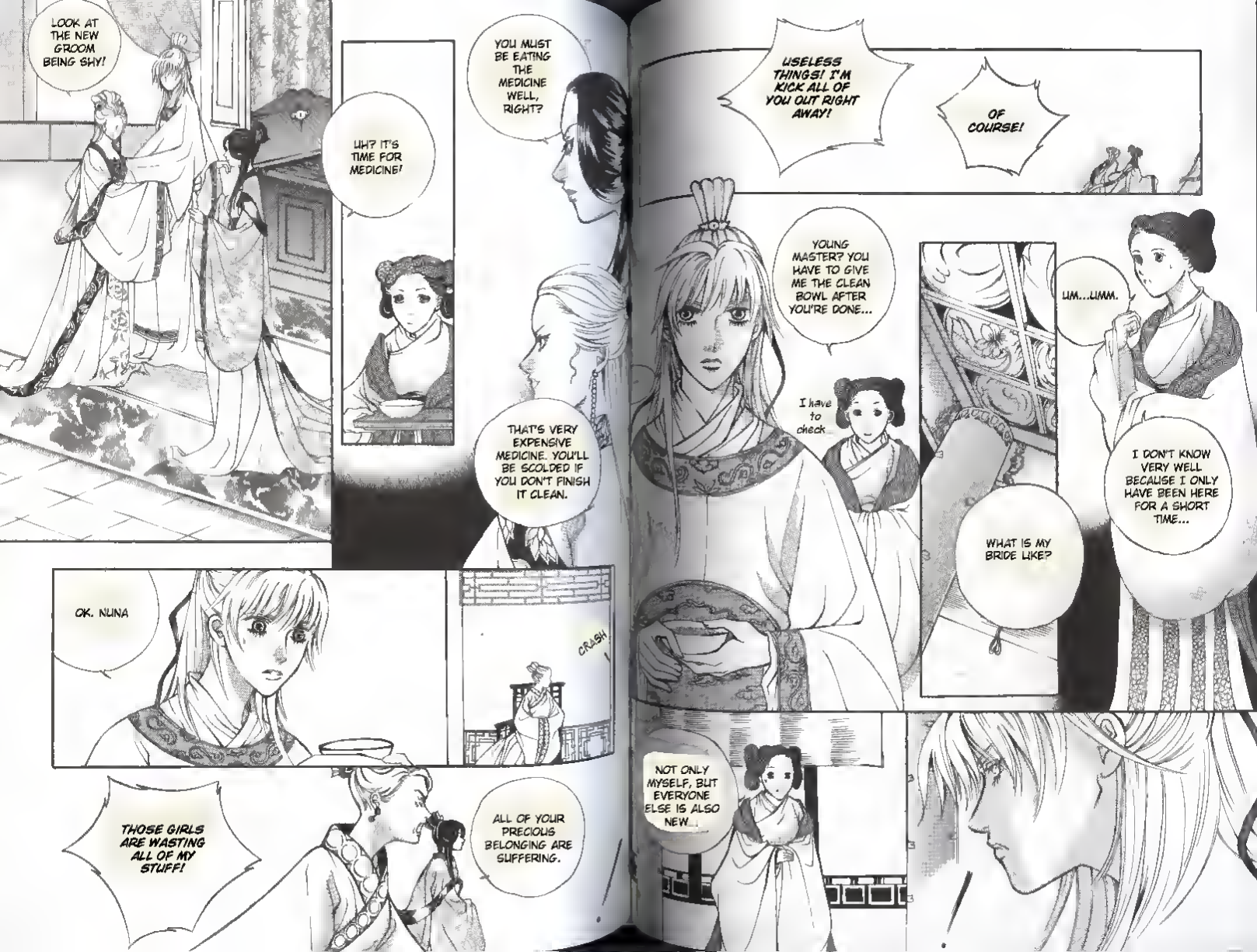

NOW, YOU JUST NEED TO WEAR THIS GOLDEN CLOTH.
YOU LOOK VERY FINE, MY LADY.
WHAT? A SON OF THIS HOUSE?
WHAT IS THIS BASTARD TALKING ABOUT?
MY YOUNG MASTER IS INSIDE HOME!
WHAT?

GET LOST, YOU BUM! WHO ARE YOU TRYING TO DECEIVE!
WHAT HAPPENED?
DIDN'T YOU SAY THIS IS YOUR HOME?
HOW.. HOW IS THIS ..
THIS IS A HOUSE MY FAMILY LIVED BEFORE.
WE HAVED MOVED OUT 10 YEARS AGO.
GWA GUH EXAM: IN OLD DAYS, IN KOREA, LITERATE MEN WENT TO THE CAPITAL TO TRY THIS EXAM. WHEN PASSED, OFFICIAL POSITIONS IN GOV'T WERE GIVEN.
IT IS FIVE YEARS SINCE I HAVE LEFT FOR THE CAPITAL TO STUDY FOR THE GWA GUH EXAM
BUT AFTER THE GWA GUH EXAM WAS OVER, I HAVE RECEIVED A MOST UNEXPECTED LETTER FROM MY FATHER.
IT SAID I MUST NOT COME NEAR HOMETOWN NO MATTER WHAT.
BUT I FELT I MUST HEAD TO HOME, BECAUSE SOMETHING MUST HAVE HAPPENED. SO I HURRIED.
THEN, I HAD TO HASSLE THROUGH SO MANY MEN WHO WERE TRYING TO CAPTURE ME WITH NO APPARENT REASONS!
I'M SORRY FOR TAKING YOU, WHO HAVE HELPED ME, TO THIS KIND OF PLACE...
ALTHOUGH IT'S RUN DOWN, PLEASE COME IN.
THIS IS?
THANKFULLY, THOUGH I HAVE RETURNED HOME WITH YOUR HELP,
SERVANTS I HAVE NOT SEEN BEFORE ARE TREATING ME LIKE AN IMPOSTER...HOW ABSURD...

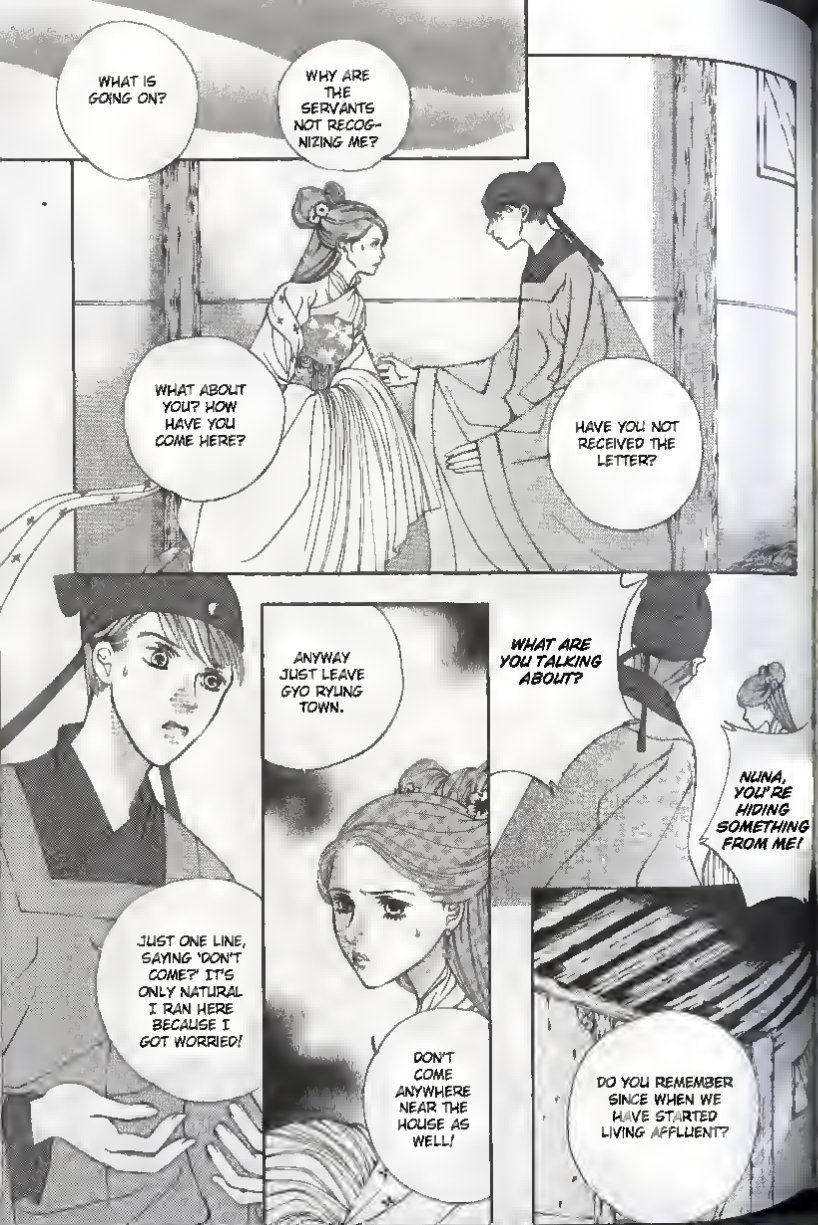
I'M SO WORRIED IF ALL OF MY FAMILY IS SAFE AND SOUND.
SNIFF SNIFF
YOU ARE WORRIED ABOUT THEM?
TO ME,
IT IS AN UNFAMILIAR WORD.
OF COURSE. HAVING BORN AS A HUMAN, HOW COULD ONE NOT WORRY ABOUT ONE'S FAMILY?
FAMILY .
FAMILY .
WHAT DO YOU MEAN? A GUY WHO'S IMPOSING UPON AS OUR HYUN MIN?

WHO? WHAT DID HE LOOK LIKE?
OH, MY. DON'T EVEN MENTION IT. HE LOOKED LIKE HE WAS NORMAL, BUT WAS SO SKILLFUL AT LYING!
OH, DEAR! WHO WOULD BELIEVE SUCH A LIE LIKE THAT?
REST ASSURED SINCE WE HAVE CHASED HIM AWAY!
COULD IT BE_?
HAVE YOU SEEN HIM WHERE HE WAS HEADED?
WE WEREN'T LOOKING_
WHERE SHOULD I PUT THIS?
AH, PUT THAT IN RECEPTION AREA.
WHY NOW? WHEN ONLY A FEW DAYS LEFT TO GO!
THE WEDDING IS SOON_


OH, DEAR. THE NEW GROOM IS HERE
GOOD FOR THE NEW BRIDE. WHAT A HANDSOME GROOM HE IS!
I'M SO ENVIOUS!

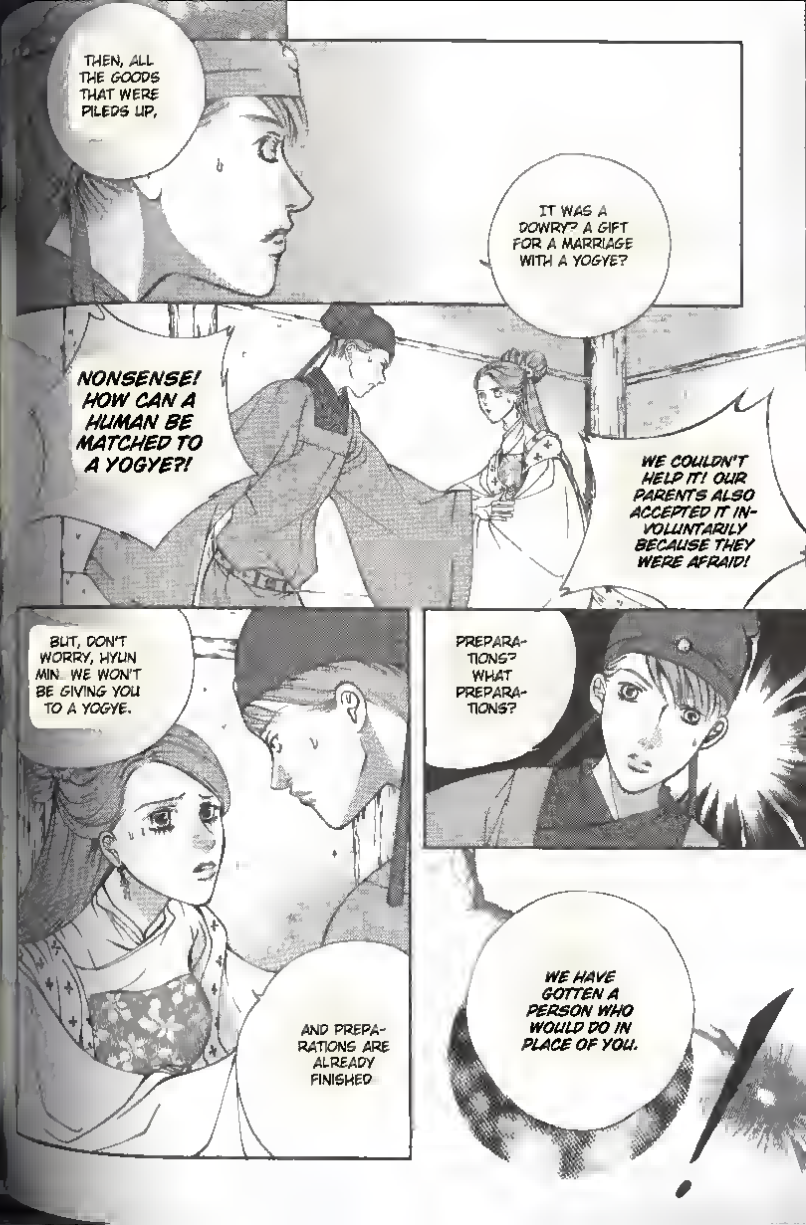

LOOK AT THE NEW GROOM BEING SHY!
UH? IT'S TIME FOR MEDICINE!
YOU MUST BE EATING THE MEDICINE WELL, RIGHT?
THAT'S VERY EXPENSIVE MEDICINE. YOU'LL BE SCOLDED IF YOU DON'T FINISH IT CLEAN.
OK. NUNA
CRASH
THOSE GIRLS ARE WASTING ALL OF MY STUFF!
ALL OF YOUR PRECIOUS BELONGING ARE SUFFERING.
USELESS THINGS! I'M KICK ALL OF YOU OUT RIGHT AWAY!
OF COURSE!
YOUNG MASTER? YOU HAVE TO GIVE ME THE CLEAN BOWL AFTER YOU'RE DONE...
I have to check...
WHAT IS MY BRIDE LIKE?
UM...UMM.
I DON'T KNOW VERY WELL BECAUSE I ONLY HAVE BEEN HERE FOR A SHORT TIME...
NOT ONLY MYSELF, BUT EVERYONE ELSE IS ALSO NEW...

THE MEDICINE IS TOO BITTER...
WILL YOU BRING ME SOMETHING ELSE SWEET AS A DESSERT?
I...I WILL GET THAT TO YOU RIGHT AWAY!
THANKS.
IF I EAT SOMETHING I DON'T WANT,
I MIGHT GET AN UPSET STOMACH.
POUR
HAVE I ASKED MY BENEFACTOR A PETTY FAVOR?
I HOPE IT DOESN'T CAUSE HIM TO HAVE A MISHAP.
I HOPE EVERYONE IS SAFE..
IT WAS REALLY YOU, HYUN MIN
NUNA!


WHAT IS GOING ON?
WHY ARE THE SERVANTS NOT RECOG-NIZING ME?
WHAT ABOUT YOU? HOW HAVE YOU COME HERE?
HAVE YOU NOT RECEIVED THE LETTER?
ANYWAY JUST LEAVE GYO RYUNG TOWN.
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
NUNA, YOU'RE HIDING SOMETHING FROM ME!
JUST ONE LINE, SAYING 'DON'T COME?' IT'S ONLY NATURAL I RAN HERE BECAUSE I GOT WORRIED!
DON'T COME ANYWHERE NEAR THE HOUSE AS WELL!
DO YOU REMEMBER SINCE WHEN WE HAVE STARTED LIVING AFFLUENT?

ALL OF US LIVED IN THIS HOUSE WITH DIFFICULTY.
WE DIDN'T EVEN HAVE LAND TO FARM. WE HAD TO LIVE ON HERBS AND SMALL ANIMALS FROM THE MOUNTAIN.
I REMEMBER. YEA, WE DID
WE USED TO GET SCOLDED BY FATHER JUST BECAUSE WE LET SMALL ANIMALS LOOSE,
TAKING PITIES ON THEM, WHEN WE WERE YOUNG.
THEN, ONE DAY, WHILE YOU WERE SLEEPING, A STRANGE GUEST HAD VISITED US.
WHO... WHO ARE YOU--?

I'M A MESSENGER OF THE PERSON OF VERY HIGH ESTEEM.
TODAY, I HAVE COME TO YOUR HOUSE WITH A MARRIAGE PROPOSAL.
A YOGYE?
WE HAVE NOT COME HERE TO HARM YOU. SO DROP YOUR GUARDS.
FOR MY MASTER HAS BECOME VERY FOND OF YOUR SON,
HE MEANS TO MATCH HIS YOUNGEST DAUGHTER WITH YOUR SON.
PLEASE ACCEPT THE PROPOSAL.

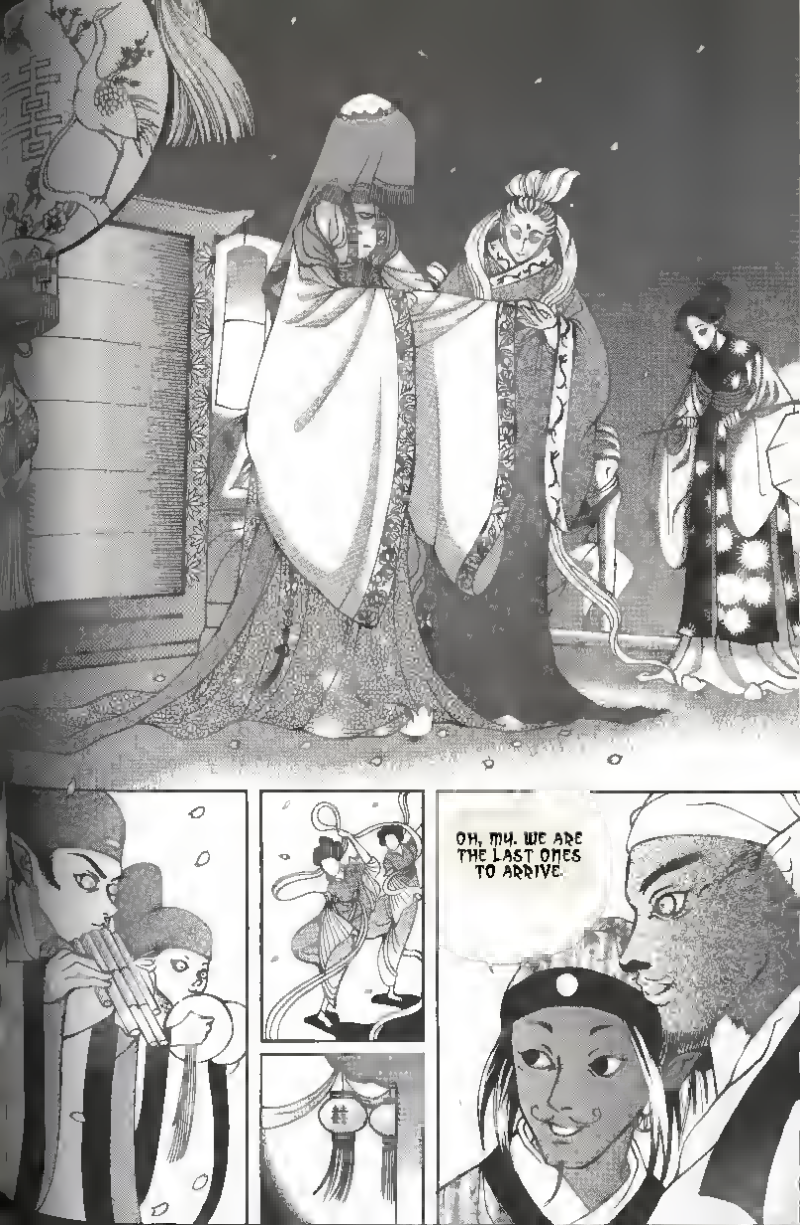

THEN, ALL THE GOODS THAT WERE PILEDS UP,
IT WAS A DOWRY? A GIFT FOR A MARRIAGE WITH A YOGYE?
NONSENSE! HOW CAN A HUMAN BE MATCHED TO A YOGYE?!
WE COULDN'T HELP IT! OUR PARENTS ALSO ACCEPTED IT IN-VOLUNTARILY BECAUSE THEY WERE AFRAID!
BUT, DON'T WORRY, HYUN MIN. WE WON'T BE GIVING YOU TO A YOGYE.
AND PREPA-RATIONS ARE ALREADY FINISHED
PREPARA-TIONS? WHAT PREPARA-TIONS?
WE HAVE GOTTEN A PERSON WHO WOULD DO IN PLACE OF YOU.

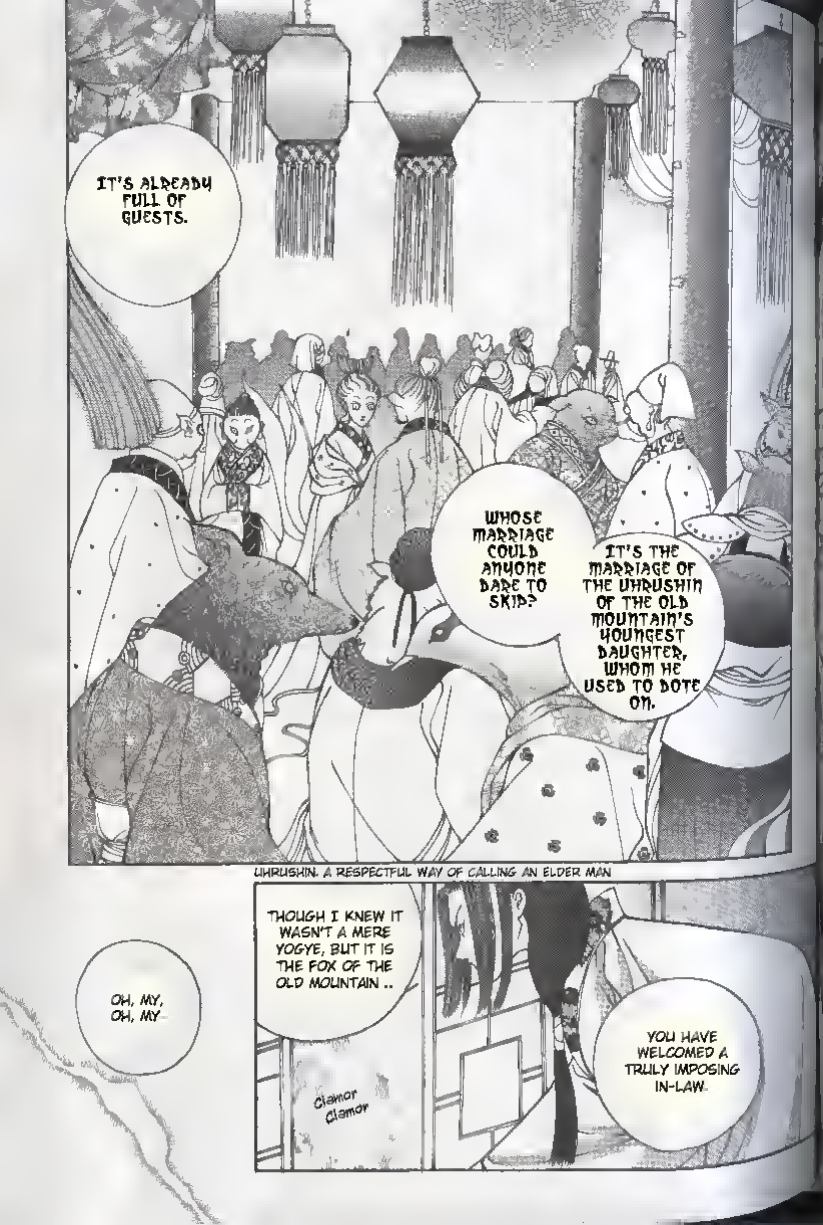
HIS AGE AND LOOKS ARE QUITE ALIKE THE YOGYES ALSO WILL BELIEVE IT.
ARE YOU TELLING ME TO SACRIFICE A PERSON WHO HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH ME INSTEAD OF ME?
THERE IS NO OTHER WAY! HOW COULD WE PASS YOU OVER TO A YOGYE?
I CAN'T LET THAT HAPPEN! I'M GOING HOME RIGHT NOW!
HYUN MIN!!!
I'M GOING HOME TO SAY THE TRUTH.
WHEN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN YOGYES AND HUMANS ARE APPARENT, HOW COULD WE GET MARRIED?
HYUN MIN
TSK ..TSK...OUR YOUNGEST IS STILL YOUNG!
HOW COME YOU HAVEN'T CHANGED AT ALL EVEN AFTER PASSING THE GWA GUH EXAM?
NUNIM!!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
I'M SAYING IT IS MUCH WISER TO THROW AWAY ONE WANDERER TO A YOGYE, RATHER THAN
SENDING YOU, WHO HAVE PASSED THE GWAGUH EXAM AT A YOUNG AGE.
JAESANG: A NAME OF A VERY HIGH OFFICIAL POSITION IN THE GOV'T.
ALTHOUGH YOU MIGHT NOT KNOW, MY CUTE YOUNG BROTHER,
AS SOON AS YOUR NEWS HAS SPREAD OUT IN TOWN, NUMEROUS PROPOSALS HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED
A PRECIOUS DAUGHTER OF JAESANG'S HOUSEHOLD IS ALSO INCLUDED IN THERE.
WHAT KIND OF HON-SENICAL WORDS ARE THOSE?!
!

IF WE BECOME CONNECTED WITH THE JAESANG'S HOUSE,
WE WILL BE ABLE TO EVADE CONTEMPTS FROM OTHER PEOPLE, FOR WE ONLY HAVE HAD MONEY, NOT PROPER POSITIONS.
BESIDES, WE WILL BE ALSO ABLE TO MARRY NOBLE FAMILIES WITH PROPRIETY.
SO,
IT'S THE PRICE AS PROMISED.
IT'S ACCURATE.
BUT,
HAVE YOU REALLY WIPED HIS MEMORY FOR SURE? COULD IT COME BACK ..OR ANYTHING?
DON'T WORRY, SIR. THE MEDICINE I USED IS MADE OF A VERY RARE INGREDIENT AND IS REFINED CAREFULLY WITH MY POWER.
ALSO, IT IS NOT A POISON SO IT CANNOT BE CURED IN ANY WAYS.
SO BEAR IT A LITTLE LONGER.
UNLESS,
A SHAMAN WHO'S STRONGER THAN ME
CALLS HIM BY HIS NAME.
They have less guards this way.
MOOHWE?

HOW COME
YOU ARE HERE?
MOOHWE?!
FINALLY...
THE FULL MOON AROSE.

THE BRIDE
IS COMING.

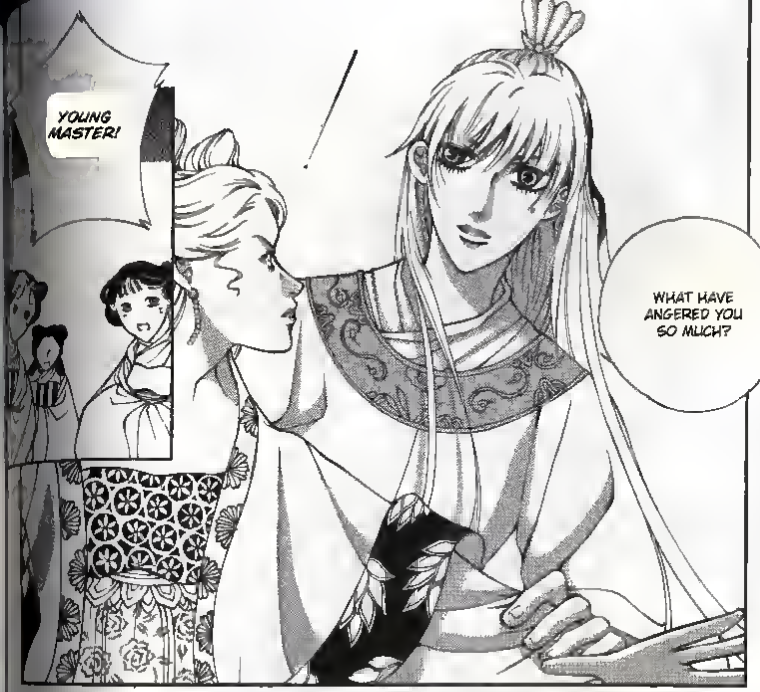

OH, MU. WE ARE THE LAST ONES TO ARRIVE.


IT'S ALREADY FULL OF GUESTS.
WHOSE MARRIAGE COULD ANYONE DARE TO SKIP?
IT'S THE MARRIAGE OF THE UHRUSHIN OF THE OLD MOUNTAIN'S YOUNGEST DAUGHTER, WHOM HE USED TO DOTE ON.
UHRUSHIN. A RESPECTFUL WAY OF CALLING AN ELDER MAN
OH, MY, OH, MY
THOUGH I KNEW IT WASN'T A MERE YOGYE, BUT IT IS THE FOX OF THE OLD MOUNTAIN ..
Clamor Clamor
YOU HAVE WELCOMED A TRULY IMPOSING IN-LAW.

YOU MUST BE CAREFUL.
IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT TO KEEP YOUR LIVES WHEN EXPOSED.
THIS IS A FEAST OF YOGYES?
NOW I LOOK AT THIS SIGHTING,
I ALMOST HAVE BECOME A GROOM OF A YOGYE?
I CAN UNDERSTAND WHY THEY INSISTED A TOTAL STRANGER AS THEIR SON
DAMN! MY HEAD STILL FEELS NUMB!
WHAT HAVE THEY DONE TO A PERSON'S HEAD?!

THERE IS A PILL NAMED 'TO CONFUSE DREAMS.'
ALTHOUGH MEMORIES CAN BE WIPED AS THE SHAMANS INTENDED,
IT'S NOT USED VERY OFTEN BECAUSE OF TWO DEFECTS.
DEFECTS? WHAT ARE THEY?
Tilt
THE MEMORY CAN RETURN EASILY WITH CALLING THE REAL NAME
ALSO, COMPARED TO ITS EFFECTIVENESS, IT REQUIRES TOO MANY PRECIOUS INGREDIENTS. PEOPLE WHO KNOW ABOUT IT DON'T EVEN MAKE THEM.
IF ONE GOT INTO SUCH A SHALLOW TRAP LIKE THAT, THAT PERSON IS EXTREMELY UNLUCKY OR A FOOL.
Turn
Shake Shake
That thing is !
A FOOL?
PATIENCE! PATIENCE!
AT LEAST HE HELPED!
FIRST, YOU SHOULD LEAVE THIS YOGYE DEN FIRST.
OH, IS UHRUSHIN LATE AGAIN?
This way!
IT'S NOT ANY NEW THING FOR HIM TO BE LATE.
HE MIGHT BE PLAYING GO SOMEWHERE ELSE?
THERE'S NO WAY HE WOULD MISS HIS DAUGHTER'S WEDDING!?
THAT'S TRUE.
Swish
THIS DOESN'T SEEM THE RIGHT WAY?
JUST...TRUST ME!
SLAP
YOU WORTHLESS THING! YOU DESERVE TO DIE!
THE GROOM HAS DISAPPEARED? WHAT THE HECK DO YOU MEAN BY THAT?!

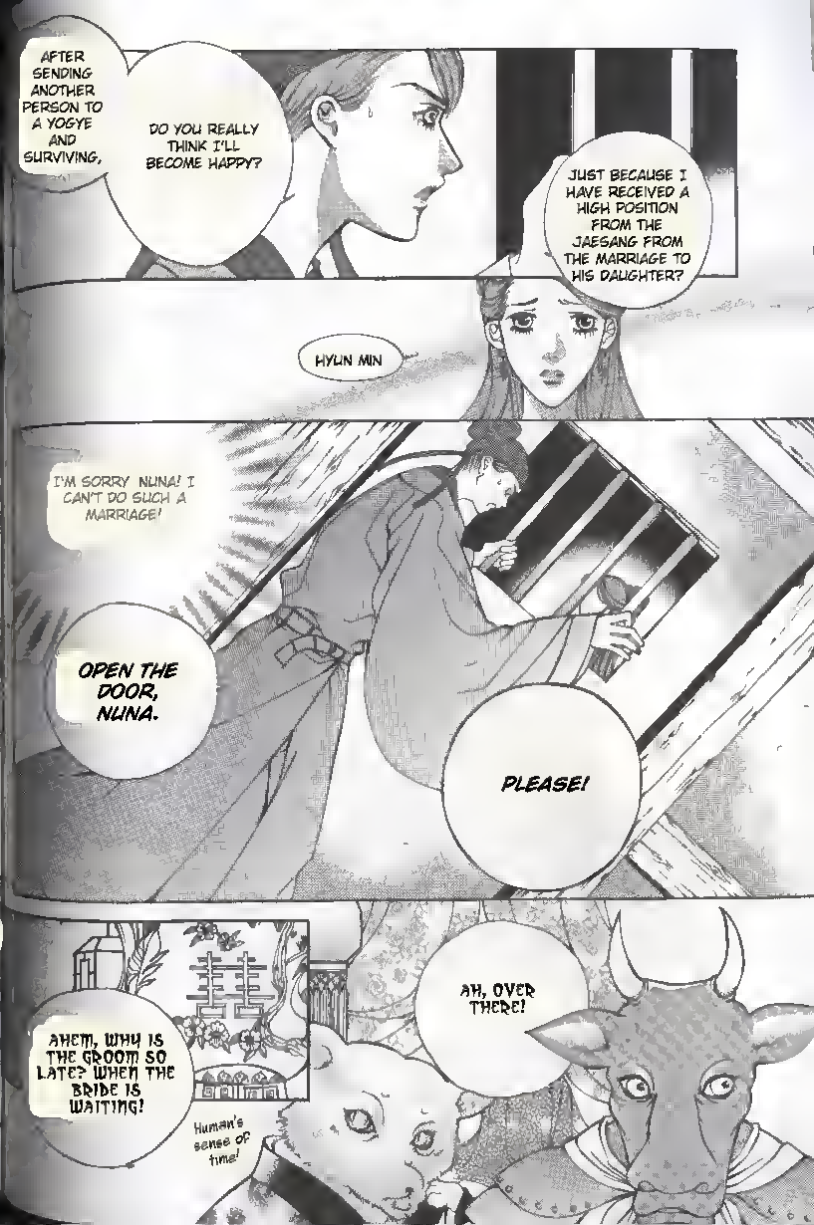
I TOLD YOU NOT LOOK AWAY FOR EVEN A SECOND!
A USELESS GIRL!
WHERE IN THE WORLD HAS THE GROOM DISAP-PEARED TO?!
IF THINGS GO BAD, ALL MY FAMILY WILL BE DEAD!
PLEASE FORGIVE ME, MY LADY
FORGIVE? WHAT FORGIVENESS FOR A GIRL WHO CAN'T EVEN DO A THING RIGHT!
OH, MY GOODNESS
KYAA!!
AH!
THAT GIRL MIGHT PASS OUT!
WHAT IN THE WORLD IS GOING ON, NUNIM?
PAUSE


YOUNG MASTER!
WHAT HAVE ANGERED YOU SO MUCH?

AH...THAT IS...
IF YOU WERE GOING, YOU SHOULD HAVE SAID YOU WERE GOING!!
I ONLY WENT FOR A SHORT WALK- WHAT'S WRONG WITH THAT?

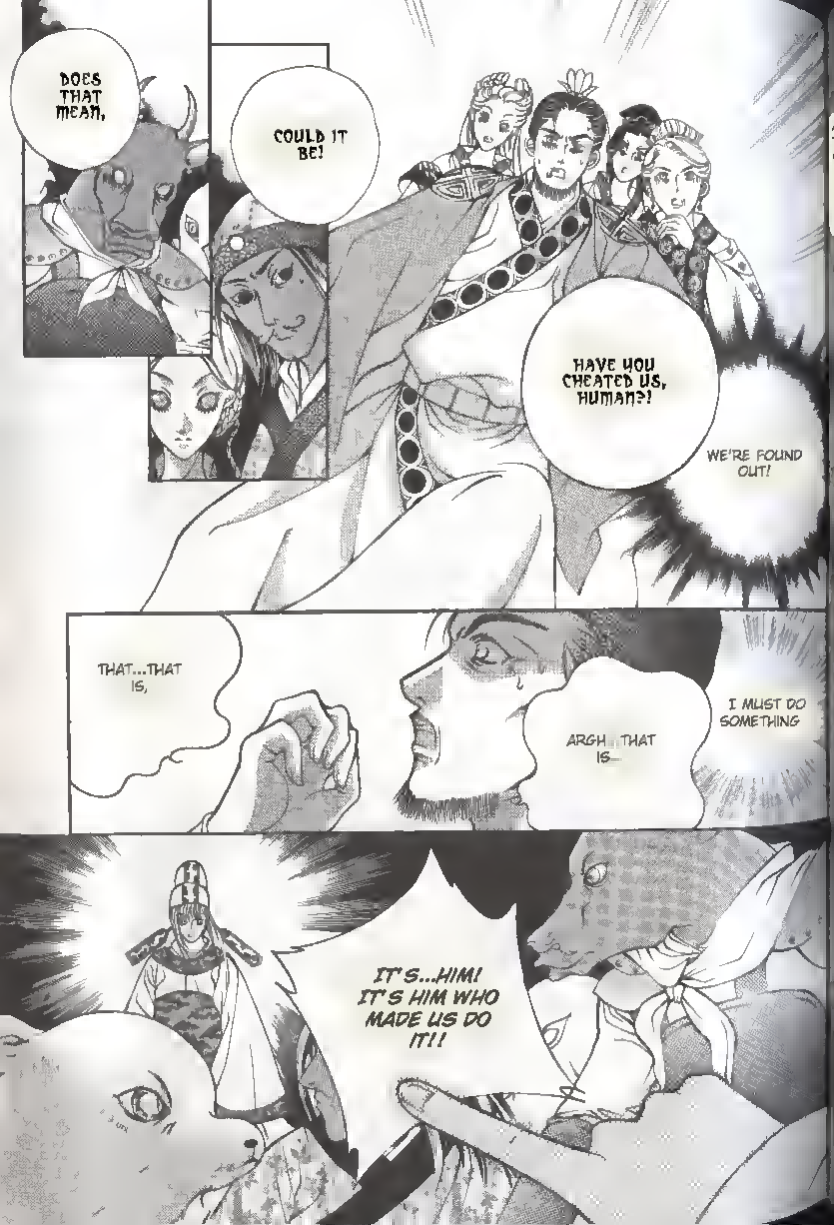
AFTER BARELY LEAVING A TIGER'S NEST,
GOING BACK TO TIGER'S MOUTH AGAIN?

YOU WERE A REAL FOOL...
JUST BEAR IT A LITTLE LONGER, HYUN MIN
WE'LL RELEASE YOU AFTER TONIGHT.
NUNA!
DO YOU ALSO WANT ME TO BE A SON-IN-LAW OF A JAESANG?
NO, IT'S NOT LIKE THAT! I, I JUST...
HYUN MIN!
WANT YOU TO BE HAPPY...


AFTER SENDING ANOTHER PERSON TO A YOGYE AND SURVIVING,
DO YOU REALLY THINK I'LL BECOME HAPPY?
JUST BECAUSE I HAVE RECEIVED A HIGH POSITION FROM THE JAESANG FROM THE MARRIAGE TO HIS DAUGHTER?
HYUN MIN
I'M SORRY NUNA! I CAN'T DO SUCH A MARRIAGE!
OPEN THE DOOR, NUNA.
PLEASE!
AHEM, WHY IS THE GROOM SO LATE? WHEN THE BRIDE IS WAITING!
Human's sense of time!
AH, OVER THERE!

THE GROOM IS COMING.
HMM, HE ONLY HAS A GOOD LOOKING FACE, HIS FRAME IS WEAK!
If you don't go out, we'll get scolded
EVEN IF HE FOCUSED ONLY ON STUDYING, HE'LL FLY AWAY WHEN WIND BLOWS!
DAMN!
WHY HAVE I FALLEN INTO THIS SITUATION?
WHERE HAS THIS ↓ GONE TO?
Where?
NOT HELPING A PERSON WHEN HE'S IN DISTRESS?
Where?
WHY IS HE GLANCING AROUND RESTLESSLY?
GRIN

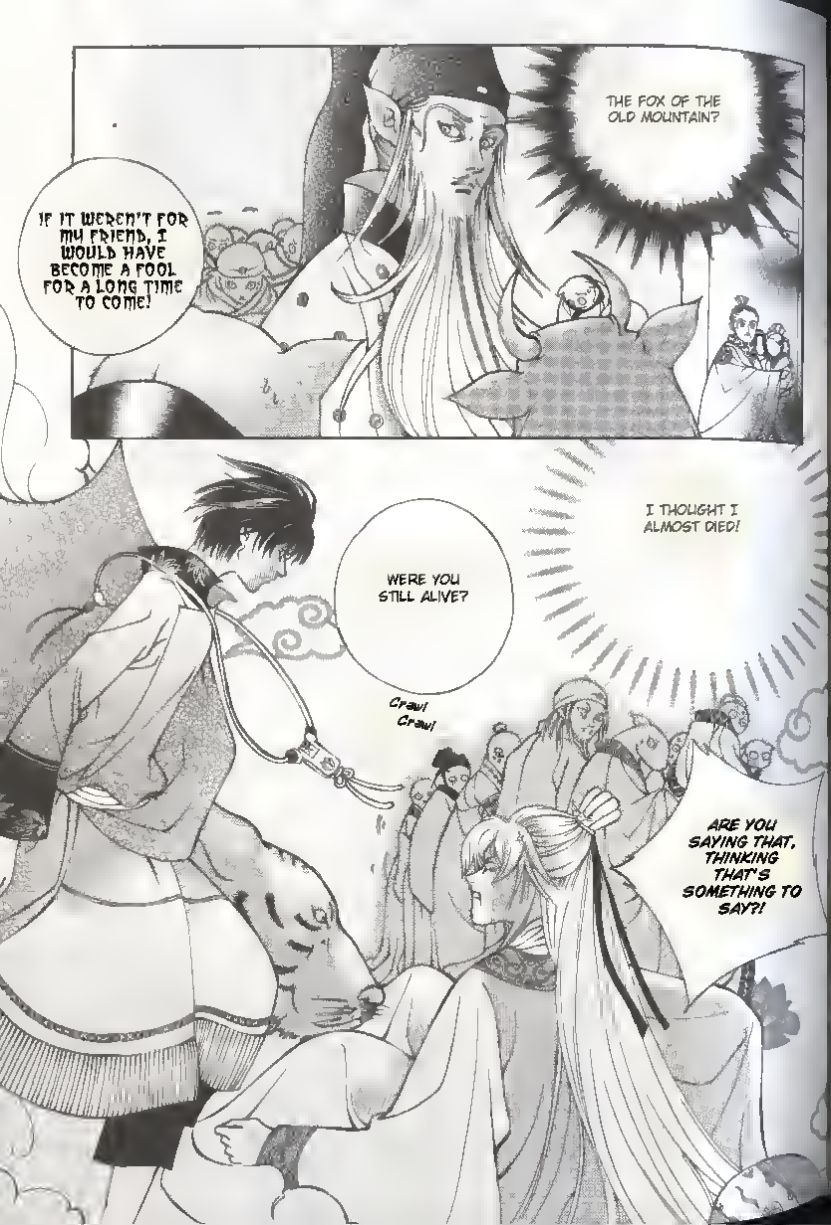
COME THIS WAY.
AH, THAT... THAT IS...
HOW STRANGE, VERY STRANGE! WHY DOES IT NOT SMELL?
Sniff
Sniff
HMM? WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?
WHEN THE MARRIAGE PROPOSAL WAS ACCEPTED, I SMEARED BAEKRI SCENT OF THE OLD MOUNTAIN ON HIM.
FOR I WAS WORRIED IF OTHER HOGUE MIGHT HURT HIM.
AND,
I CAN'T SMELL ANY OF BAEKRI SCENT FROM THAT MAN.


DOES THAT MEAN,
COULD IT BE!
HAVE YOU CHEATED US, HUMAN?!
WE'RE FOUND OUT!
THAT...THAT IS,
ARGH... THAT IS—
I MUST DO SOMETHING
IT'S...HIM! IT'S HIM WHO MADE US DO IT!!

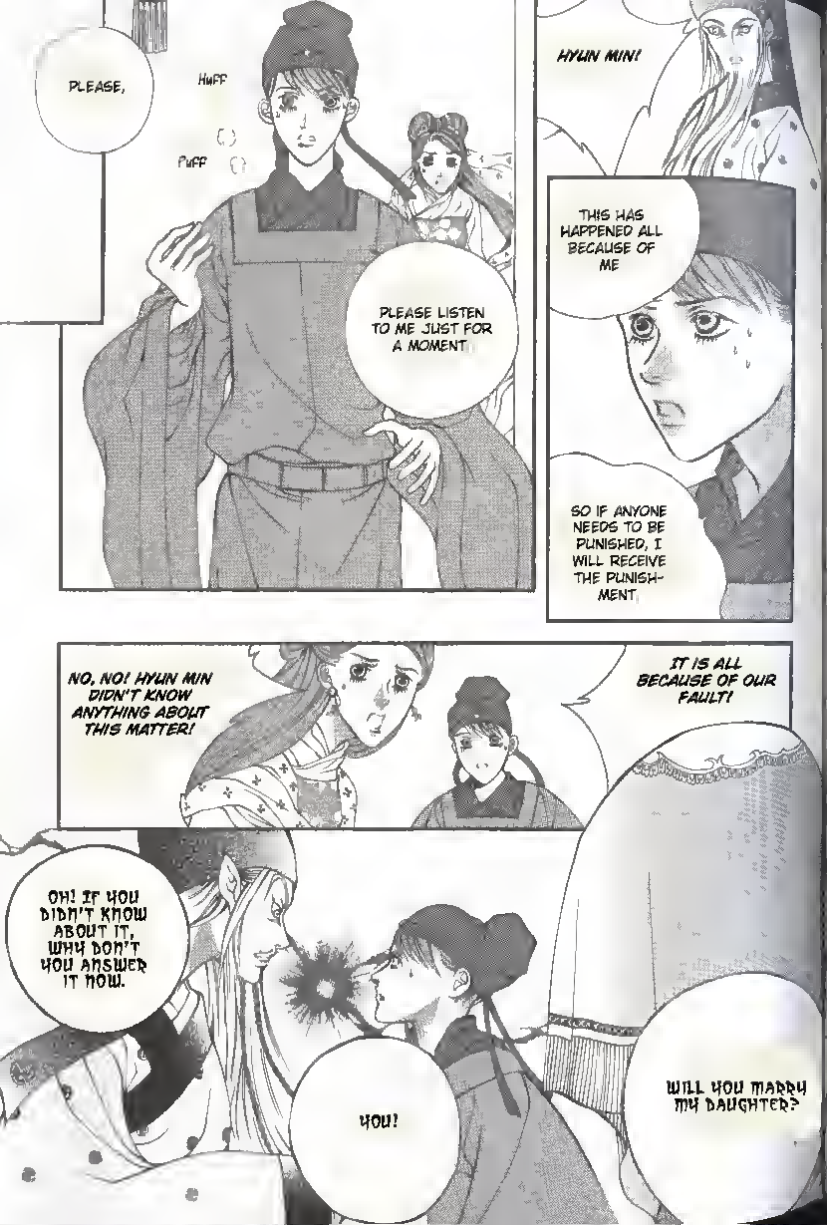
THAT ATROCIOUS MAN THREATENED US WITH MY SON IN HOSTAGE! WE ARE NOT AT FAULT!
THAT WACKO OLD FART!
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING WHEN YOU HAVE KIDNAPPED A COMPLETE STRANGER AND INSISTED IT WAS YOUR SON!
HIS MEMORY!
HAS RETURNED?
OH, MY.
HOW?
WHAT A MISHAP THIS IS!
OF THOSE, WHO IS RIGHT?

WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?
ARE YOU GOING TO TRUST A STRANGER'S WORDS RATHER THAN YOUR IN-LAWS' WORDS?
FIRST, LET'S CORRECT THIS BASTARD.
UH...
HEY...
AT A CRITICAL SITUATION LIKE THIS,
WHERE THE HECK IS HE!!!

TSK, TSK, IDIOTS.
MAKING A COMMOTION BECAUSE OF HUMANS' PETTY TRICKS.
UHRUSHIN!!

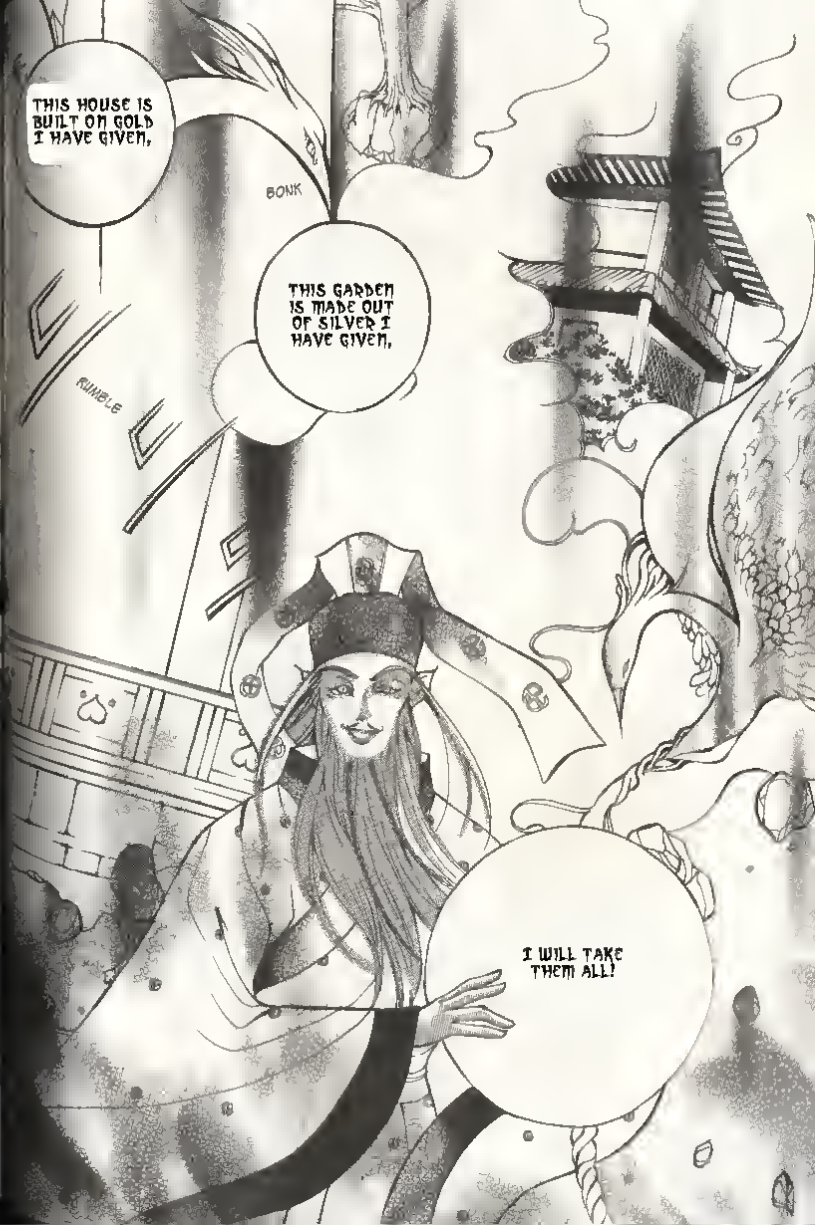

THE FOX OF THE OLD MOUNTAIN?
IF IT WEREN'T FOR MY FRIEND, I WOULD HAVE BECOME A FOOL FOR A LONG TIME TO COME!
I THOUGHT I ALMOST DIED!
WERE YOU STILL ALIVE?
Crawl Crawl
ARE YOU SAYING THAT, THINKING THAT'S SOMETHING TO SAY?!

IT SEEMS I MUST GIVE UP THE REST OF THE PAYMENT
Grin
JUST BECAUSE I LIVE IN THE OLD MOUNTAIN, DID YOU THINK I WOULDN'T KNOW ABOUT HUMANS' RUMORS?
SINCE YOU'VE RECEIVED A PROPOSAL FROM A JAESANG, YOU COULDN'T GIVE YOUR PRECIOUS SON TO SOMETHING LIKE A YOGUE, HMM?
GASP
PLEASE SPARE MY LIFE
DID YOU EXPECT TO LIVE AFTER DECEIVING ME AND MY DAUGHTER?
PLEASE WAIT, UHRUSHIN!


PLEASE,
HUFF
PUFF
PLEASE LISTEN TO ME JUST FOR A MOMENT
HYUN MIN!
THIS HAS HAPPENED ALL BECAUSE OF ME
SO IF ANYONE NEEDS TO BE PUNISHED, I WILL RECEIVE THE PUNISHMENT
NO, NO! HYUN MIN DIDN'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT THIS MATTER!
IT IS ALL BECAUSE OF OUR FAULT!
OH! IF YOU DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT IT, WHY DON'T YOU ANSWER IT NOW.
YOU!
WILL YOU MARRY MY DAUGHTER?

THAT...
I CAN'T DO THAT.
!
HOW COME!
AT SUCH A YOUNG AGE! SHE WAS HURT BY YOUR FATHER'S TRAP! HER HAND IS STILL IN DISCOMFORT! JUST BECAUSE YOU HAVE SAVED HER, SHE TRIED TO COVER FOR YOU. SHE'S THAT GOOD GIRL!
EVER SINCE THEN, SHE HAS BEEN WAITING ONLY FOR YOU! AND YOU CANNOT MARRY HER?
HAVE YOU DESIRED FOR THE JAESANG'S POWERFUL POSITION SO MUCH AS THAT?
IT IS...IT IS NOT LIKE THAT! TO ME...TO ME!
I HAVE SOMEONE ELSE I HAVE PROMISED MY FUTURE WITH.
EVEN IF SHE'S JUST A DAUGHTER OF A POOR MAN WHO DOESN'T HAVE WEALTH OR POWER, JUST MAKING ENDS MEET BY SELLING HERBS,
SHE HAD SAVED ME, AND I ALREADY GIVEN MY HEART TO HER.
HOW COULD I MARRY UHRUSHIN'S PRECIOUS DAUGHTER LIKE THAT!!

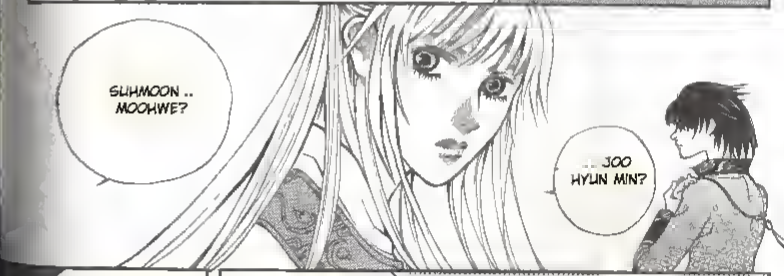
...
IF YOU'VE GIVEN YOUR HEART TO HER, WE CAN'T HELP IT.
...LET'S GO BACK, MY CHILD. CONNECTIONS ARE NOT MADE BY FORCE.
STOP THE PETTY TALK AND YOU ALSO FOLLOW ME. WHAT MORE DO YOU MEAN TO SEE HERE?
UHRUSHIN!
BUT WE CAN'T LEAVE THOSE BASTARDS ALONE WHO DECEIVED UHRUSHIN...
LEAVE THEM! HUMANS' GREED IS NOT TODAY'S NEWS.
WE'RE SAVED!!!
HOWEVER, SINCE THE ENGAGEMENT IS BROKEN,
IT IS PROPER TO RETURN THE DOWRY.


THIS HOUSE IS BUILT ON GOLD I HAVE GIVEN,
BONK
THIS GARDEN IS MADE OUT OF SILVER I HAVE GIVEN,
RUMBLE
I WILL TAKE THEM ALL!

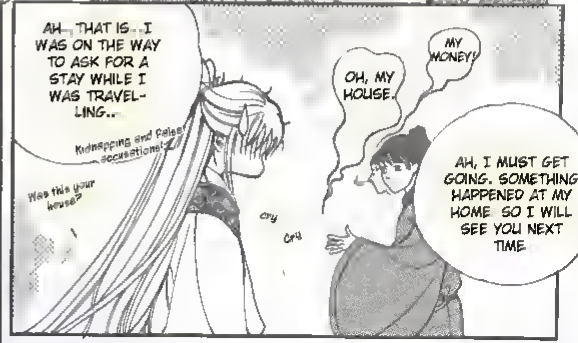
MY HOUSE... MY WEALTH...
HO HO NEY!
MY YOUNG FRIEND OF WOON BAEK RIM! I'M SORRY FOR THIS, AFTER INVITING YOU.
NEXT TIME, LET'S PLAY GO FOR ONCE.

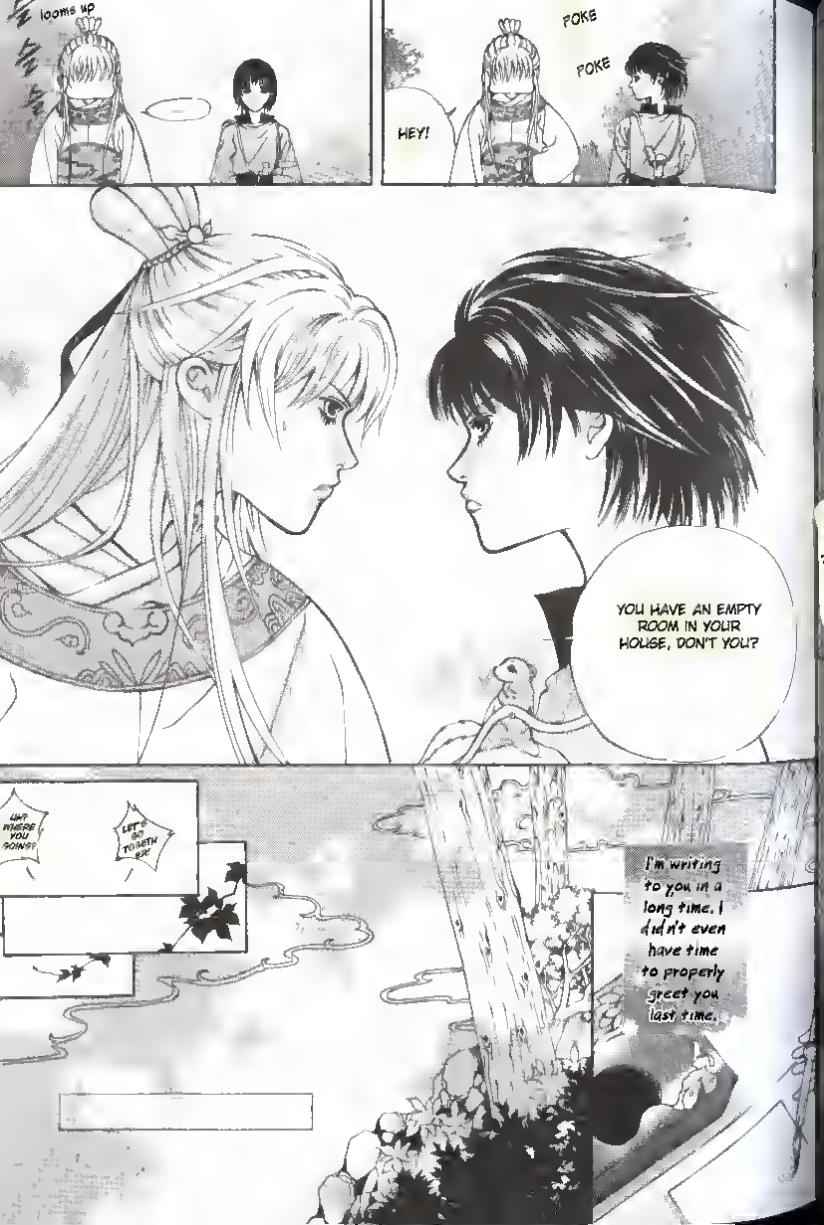
Empty
Empty

UH? HE IS?

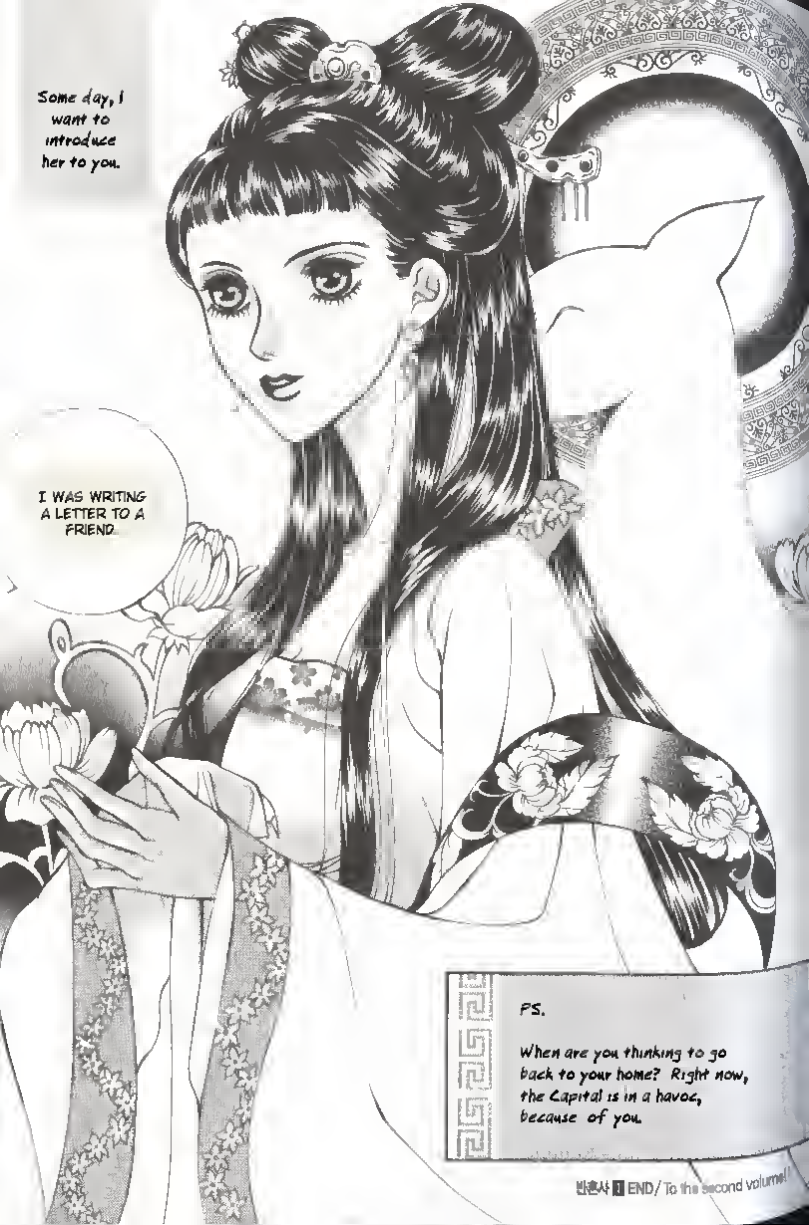

SUHMOON .. MOOHWE?
... JOO HYUN MIN?

SO IT WAS YOU. I WAS GUESSING...
WHAT BROUGHT YOU TO MY HOMETOWN?


AH... THAT IS... I WAS ON THE WAY TO ASK FOR A STAY WHILE I WAS TRAVEL-LING...
Kidnapping and False accusations!
Was this your house?
cry
Cry
OH, MY HOUSE.
MY MONEY!
AH, I MUST GET GOING. SOMETHING HAPPENED AT MY HOME. SO I WILL SEE YOU NEXT TIME.


looms up
POKE
POKE
HEY!
YOU HAVE AN EMPTY ROOM IN YOUR HOUSE, DON'T YOU?
WHY WHERE YOU GOING?
LET'S GO TO SEOTH ICE
I'm writing to you in a long time. I didn't even have time to properly greet you last time.

I have learned what a great crime my family has committed to you just now. I really have no clue what to say to you.
Since that day, we have had many changes in my family.
Although we have lost all of the wealth, after receiving a post from the gov't, we have been managing it.
YOUNG MASTER IS IN THE STUDY
The Jaesang didn't show any fury, even after being told the engagement was broken.
Ah, the reason why I have picked up my brush is to let you know a greatly happy news.
Thanks to it, I have moved to the Capital and started working.
AH, MY LOVE
WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
I have married recently and become a head of a household. With my precious one who had saved my life before.


Some day, I want to introduce her to you.
I WAS WRITING A LETTER TO A FRIEND.
PS.
When are you thinking to go back to your home? Right now, the Capital is in a havoc, because of you.